

WEATHER FORECASTS

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CONTENDS BOAK TRIAL IS VOID

Whole Assize Will Be Nullified If Mr. H. A. Maclean, Defence Counsel, Is Correct in Views

JURORS IMPROPERLY IMPANELLED, CLAIM

Sheriff Goggin Held to Have Acted Without Proper Authority in Serving New Grand Jurors

THE trial and conviction of Dr. E. W. Boak for the manslaughter of David Ballantyne will be declared null and void, if Mr. H. A. Maclean, K.C., counsel for the defence in the case, is right in his views of the proceedings.

According to Mr. Maclean, who announced his appeal plans last night, when the original panel for the grand and petit juries for the assize was prepared and Sheriff Goggin prepared to serve the persons selected, many were found to be absent from the city, as often happens, and the panel could not be completed.

The sheriff then took advantage of the provision in the code enabling him, on the order of the presiding judge of the assize, to serve additional people for jury duty. This he did on September 18, on application to Mr. Justice Murphy. Five grand and more than a dozen petit jurors were thus added to the panel.

Says Assize Nullity

Mr. Maclean claims that, although an order was obtained from Mr. Justice Murphy to serve petit jurors, none was secured to serve grand jurors. He points out further that this order was obtained on September 18, whereas the assize did not open before September 22. Mr. Justice Murphy took the assize, but on September 18, he did not open the assize, as there was then no assize. Mr. Maclean contends that there was no presiding judge, that no assize had opened, that no grand jurors were properly impanelled to bring in bills against the accused, and that the whole assize is a nullity.

Mr. Maclean says that on the trial itself he will have many points to bring up. He will object to the charge of the trial judge, to the jury and to statements and to the conduct of the crown counsel, Mr. M. B. Jackson, K.C., during the case.

MILL BAY FERRY PROVES SUCCESS

HANDLED MORE THAN FORTY AUTOMOBILES YESTERDAY

Service Exists Because Two Naval Officers "Like Country" When They Arrived During War

"We decided we liked the country," so tersely phrased yesterday by Mr. G. H. Williams in description of the manner in which he and his associate, Captain H. G. Kennard, happened to stake their fortunes on the destiny of Victoria, over forty cars were able to make the fifteen-minute haul over the Malahat grades yesterday by crossing Saanich Inlet on the Mill Bay ferry.

Captain Kennard and Mr. Williams came to Victoria during the hectic days of the war as officers on H.M.S. Avoca. From the moment of arrival, when the anchor chains rattled through the Avoca's hawse pipes and the two officers had time to look around them, they have been in love with this farthest west of Canada's cliffs.

Here they found a most beautiful city, with an indefinable quality in its atmosphere reminiscent of their own England, radiating, moreover, that promise of ready fortune with which all the great prodigal West beckons to the unfortunates of all.

In the unobtrusive way of the men trained in His Majesty's navy, they "decided they liked the country."

Buy Cascade

Thus in August, 1919, two disabled officers of H.M.S. Avoca were among members of the syndicate of five which bought the little coastal vessel Cascade to engage in the freight business in British Columbia. Until about three months ago the Cascade plied the waters of the Coast as a sort of coastal tramp in the service of the Cascade Freight Co., with headquarters in Victoria. Then the Chamber of Commerce came behind the little vessel's owners, and Continued on Page 5

RUSSIAN COMMUNIST PARTY VERY LIMITED

Membership in July Set at 358,000 With 311,000 Candidates for Admission

MOSCOW, Oct. 11.—The latest official statistics give the strength of the Communist party on July as 358,000 members with 311,000 candidates. Seventy-nine per cent of this number are in Central Russia, thirteen per cent in the Caucasus and the remaining two per cent in White Russia.

Women comprise ten per cent of the total number of members and candidates. As regards social groupings, forty-six per cent are workmen, twenty-four per cent peasants, and the remaining thirty per cent all among other categories.

Seven thousand members were admitted to the party during the last six months, and there were 10,000 candidates in at that time.

Dirigible ZR-3 Starts on Voyage To America

FREIDRICHSHAFEN, Germany, Oct. 12.—The dirigible ZR-3 started on her transatlantic voyage to Lakehurst, N. J., at 6:30 o'clock this morning. The dirigible headed in the direction of the West.

The dirigible will await weather reports at the French town of Belfort before it is decided whether the northern or southern route is to be taken.

HOLDING COMPANY FOR BANK'S ASSETS

LEGISLATION OBTAINED LAST SESSION FOR PURPOSE

Liquidators of Home Institution Announce Scheme to Aid Realization of Property

TORONTO, Oct. 11.—Although Ottawa dispatches received in Toronto said that no application had been made to the Dominion Government for the formation of a holding company to take over the assets of the Home Bank, liquidators Clarke and Weldon, in a statement issued in reply to the legislation was obtained at the last session of the Dominion House.

"The facts are," says the statement, "that the proposal contemplated that the capital of the new company shall be held by five trustees appointed by the executive committee representing depositors and approved by the court. Said trustees shall be empowered to qualify and nominate directors of the new company, that thereafter the directors so to be elected shall appoint the management of the new company and may determine what pay shall be paid to it annually. Whether the liquidators or either of them will be asked to take part in the management of the affairs of the holding company is a matter which will rest entirely in the hands of the representatives of the depositors."

"The delay in forming the holding company has been caused by the necessity of obtaining legislation to permit the transfer of the assets of the Home Bank to it."

ISSUE AMERICAN PORTION OF LOAN

SUBSCRIPTION TO GERMAN DEBT-BOND STARTS TUESDAY

Indications Amount Will Be Over-subscribed—Dollar Bonds Listed on New York Exchange

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—America's portion of the \$200,000,000 German loan under the Dawes plan, amounting to \$16,000,000, will be offered to the public on Tuesday, by a nationwide bonding syndicate headed by J. P. Morgan & Company, and Kuhn, Loeb & Company. While the books for the offering will not be opened until Tuesday morning and all subscriptions received in advance by the Morgan firm have been returned with suggestions to resubmit at that time, the demands of the smaller dealers indicate that the offering will be heavily oversubscribed.

J. P. Morgan & Company, in a formal statement, stated in part: "The full details of the loan will not be made known until Tuesday, but it was learned today the proceeds will be used to purchase the new loan set up under the Dawes plan and sent to Germany as fast as they are needed. The bonds carry sinking fund provisions which are said to be sufficient to retire the loan at maturity."

Successful flotation of this issue is expected to stimulate the extension of credit to various German industries which will now be able to receive payment from their governments for the materials that they have sent to France and other Allied countries in the form of "delivered in kind" on the reparations account.

THIRD PARTY ADDS TO DIFFICULTIES

Premier King Appeals for Unity Between Liberals and Progressives—Stresses Present Situation

EDMONTON, Oct. 11.—In an appeal for unity between the Liberals and Progressives, Premier King went most fully into the reasons which prompted him to throw open cabinet positions to Progressives and other Western members from the Prairie Provinces, where Liberal representation was a negligible factor, and he made no secret of the fact that the presence of a third party group around the council table of the Government had not made the task of the Government an easier one.

He reviewed in detail the position which faced his Government in 1921 and reminded his hearers that what had been a deficit of \$22,000,000 in the last year of Mr. Hen. Arthur Meighen's administration had been turned into a surplus of \$23,000,000, while taxation reductions equivalent to an estimated saving of \$24,000,000 had been introduced.

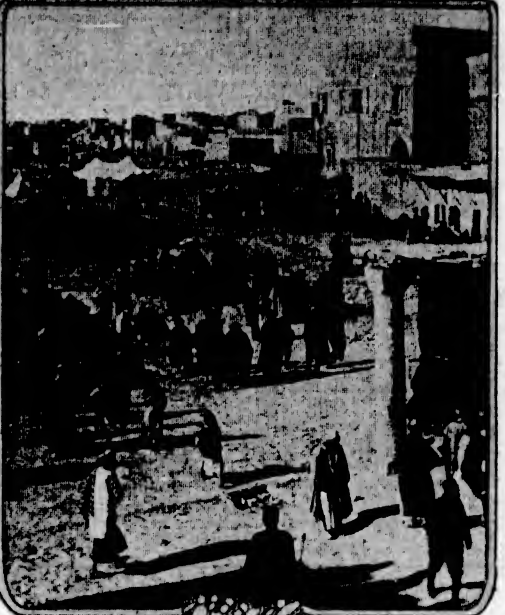
MINISTER PLANS TO RESTORE FRENCH NAVY

Drafts Programme for Fleet in Keeping With Needs of Country and Colonies

PARIS, Oct. 11.—Minister of Marine Dumesnil plans to give France a fleet such as he believes is required by her geographic position and that of her colonies. He has already drafted a programme which he will explain before the budget committee of the Chamber next week.

"I am going to strive to restore to the country the navy it no longer possesses. It needs before all a defensive navy, not an armada, which might be a danger to world peace," he said to The Matin. The fleet would be kept strictly within the limits of the recent treaties. "To begin with, I am trying to establish a balance between the surface, underwater and air divisions. It is my ambition to have a navy whose sailors are as fit and as hope next year to reduce the number of men serving ashore to a maximum of 20 per cent."

Turks Dispute Possession of City



MOSUL: THE MARKET PLACE

LONDON, Oct. 11.—An agency dispatch from Constantinople says the Turkish note to Great Britain throws on England the responsibility for the violation of the status quo in the Iraq and the deaths of Turkish soldiers incident to this, adding that Turkey will never give up Mosul.

PLANT MAGICIAN PLANS TO ADD NEW FRAGRANCE TO ROSE

SANTA ROSA, Cal., Oct. 11.—Luther Burbank, famous plant wizard, is on the eve of the accomplishment of another of his horticultural wonders.

He is about to add new fragrance to the rose. Burbank announced today that progress the past year in the perfection of new varieties of roses which will not only have heightened tints, large size and more delicate coloring than before, but greatly enriched fragrance encouraged him to believe they will be perfected by next year.

"Creation of a new rose is a matter of years' effort," Burbank explained, "it is not, as some people believe, the work of a year or two."

WOMEN ACTIVE IN BRITISH ELECTIONS

Big Demand for Female Speakers and Organizers—Many More Agents Being Employed

LONDON, Oct. 11.—This election is likely to be marked by a more active participation by women than has been the case in any previous contest. An official of one of the women's organizations says there is a big demand for women speakers and organizers and it is probable that there will be many more women agents engaged in this election than in the last one. Every electoral division wants at least one woman as an agent or sub-agent.

The Labor Party has organized a special section for women workers in the campaign planned by the party. This section is to devote its energies to persuading women voters that the domestic advantages are more or less contingent upon the continuance of Labor in office.

Nothing has been heard definitely of the rumor of a women's party, but the Women's Freedom League is bent upon obtaining equal franchise with men.

JOSEPHUS DANIELS ATTACKS RECORD

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Editor and Deputy Duel

FLORENCE, Oct. 11.—Deputy Editor of The Nation, fought a duel with words today as the result of a political dispute. The deputy was wounded twice and the editor once during the encounter, at the end of which the combatants remained unharmed.

Home Bank Directors' Trial

TORONTO, Oct. 11.—Home Bank directors and officials will appear at the assize on Monday morning to answer to the charges of conspiracy. There is hardly a remote chance that the case will be tried during the present assize.

LIBERALS MAY TRY ONCE MORE

Vancouver Hears Talk of Another Provincial By-Election Looming Up in Riding of Columbia

CABINET MINISTERS ARE VERY RETICENT

Indications That Terminal City Will See Direct Affront If Members Are Passed Over Again by Government

IF the Government wants to take a chance on another by-election there will be no objection in Conservative quarters," said Mr. R. H. Pooley, Conservative leader, last night in connection with a Vancouver dispatch to the effect that the Government was thinking of opening the Columbia riding, where Mr. J. A. Buckham was elected in the June general elections.

"The pledge of the Conservative Party that it would fight the Oliver Government at every opportunity and in every and any riding it cared to throw open to by-election, holds good and we will fight as good a fight in Columbia as we did in North Okanagan."

The Vancouver dispatch asserted that another by-election was looming on the political horizon. The Government was either undiscouraged by its disastrous experience in North Okanagan or had been rendered desperate, and was planning an attempted "come-back" in Columbia. Mr. Buckham had been making a secret canvass of his riding, according to the report, and expected to advise the Government on his opinion of his strength shortly.

Whirlwind Campaign

"A decision is expected from the Government early next week," says the report, "and an absolute minimum of time will be allowed for campaigning. Mr. Buckham is understood to be following the example of Dr. K. C. MacDonald in North Okanagan in attempting to sign up a number of leading Conservatives not to oppose him. Preparations are being made with the greatest degree of secrecy possible in order to catch the opposition napping."

Members of the cabinet have nothing to say regarding the report. It was impossible for them to get into touch with Premier Oliver, but other members of the executive denied any knowledge of any decision to hold a by-election in Columbia.

Dr. MacDonald, Minister of Finance and Education, told of the Vancouver dispatch, remarked that some queer yarns emanated from Vancouver. He was unvarnished, he said, of any decision to hold another by-election.

PREMIER TO SPEND TWO DAYS IN CITY

DETAILS OF RECEPTION COMPLETED LAST NIGHT

Public Mass Meeting Will Be Held Friday Night—Preparations to Be Made for Thousands

Liberals of the Lower Island held a meeting in Liberal headquarters last night and arranged for the reception to the Premier and his wife. Mackenzie King, who arrives here on board the destroyer Patriotian next Thursday.

Premier King will leave Prince Rupert on October 12, proceeding to Alberni. He will then go to Courtenay to lay the cornerstone of the new post office at that place. The act time of his arrival here is not available at present.

From 1:30 to 5:30 on Thursday afternoon a reception will be held for the Prime Minister in the Library of the Parliament Buildings, during which light refreshments will be served.

Friday will be spent in viewing the works of the district. A luncheon for the Premier will be arranged by the committee, at which the Prime Minister will speak extemporaneously.

On Friday night, a big public meeting will be held in the Armory, beginning at 8 o'clock. Two thousand extra seats will be placed on the floor of the hall and women will be on hand to take care of the anticipated crowd.

The Liberal chief plans to leave late Friday night for Vancouver, where he will spend three or four days.

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Sinn Fein Decide to Contest Six Counties

DUBLIN, Oct. 11.—Eamon de Valera today announced that the Sinn Fein had decided to contest the elections in six northeastern counties of Ireland.

The people there, he said, will be given an opportunity to prove their adherence to the principles of Irish unity by voting for candidates who will deny the right of England to "make partition laws, or any other laws for the country, and who will pledge themselves accordingly not to sit in the English Parliament."

C.N.R. Vancouver Offices

VANCOUVER, Oct. 11.—Offices for Sir Henry Thornton and A. E. Warren, general manager for Western lines of the Canadian National Railways, are being fitted up in this city. The move from Montreal and Winnipeg the honor of having executive offices for the big chief of the railway, and it also indicates that much more time will be spent in this city by the president of the road and the general manager for the West.

Three Big Parties Rushing to Grips In Warm Campaign

Election Platforms Issued Hard on Heels of Announcement to Fight—Defence and Foreign Affairs Ignored—Home Problems Predominate—Free Trade Vanished From Picture

LIBERALS ACCUSING LABOR OF PRECIPITATING CONTEST

LONDON, Oct. 11.—The three big parties have lost no time in placing their platforms before the electorate. Three election manifestos are out tonight. The Labor manifesto is signed, among others, by Ramsay MacDonald, John Robert Clynes, Robert Smillie, George Lansbury and Arthur Henderson.

The Conservative manifesto is signed by Stanley Baldwin, and the Liberal by H. H. Asquith and Mr. Lloyd George.

May Resign His Post

MR. FRANK B. KELLOGG

United States Ambassador to the Court of St. James, will, it is reported, shortly resign his post.



CONVICT PLACED UNDER KNIFE TO CURE CRIME BENT

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 11.—In a remarkable experiment for society, Edward Mayrle, 26, convicted felon, entered the operating room of a local hospital today, where physicians performed an operation in an attempt to cure habitual criminal tendencies.

The operation was sanctioned by Superior Judge Lahn, before whom Mayrle was convicted, after friends of the young man and a former employer, whom he had defrauded, requested that the operation be made.

NEW LAW DOES NOT REPUDIATE TREATY

Court Decides Wives and Children of Americanized Chinese Entitled to Enter United States

SEATTLE, Oct. 11.—Thirteen Chinese who were being held for deportation by immigration officials here today were granted writs of habeas corpus in federal court and are to be admitted into the United States unless immigration inspectors discover they are not an old story, but children of American citizens.

The decision was similar to one previously made by the federal court here last month, when twenty-one Chinese women were admitted when the court held that the new immigration law on Asiatic exclusion was not intended to repudiate an old treaty with China which excludes laborers, but admits merchants and their families.

MISSING WOMAN IN VANCOUVER HOSPITAL

Disappeared Last June With \$4,500 Cheque—Allege Attempt to Commit Suicide

VANCOUVER, Oct. 11.—Reported on June 12 last as missing by her husband, W. G. Carr, Mrs. Violet Carr today lies in the General Hospital in a serious condition after allegedly attempting to poison herself with mercury. She was found in a suite on Granville Street, according to police reports, and taken to the hospital. Her recovery is doubtful.

The husband is at present in Eastern Canada, according to the police, and it is also said that when the woman disappeared she had with her a cheque for \$4,500, payment of which was stopped. She is about thirty-seven years of age.

Str William Price's Body Found in River

QUEBEC, Oct. 11.—The body of Str William Price was today found in the river five miles below Chicoutimi. Str William lost his life a week ago in a landslide at Kenogami. The body will probably be brought to Quebec for a memorial service already arranged for on Monday here.

Warrants Out for Bootleggers

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11.—Six warrants were made public today in the investigation of the activities of an alleged bootlegging police corruption ring that have been headed by Edward Marron, former state assemblyman.

Policeman Patrick Klineane, a veteran of twenty-eight years on the force, was arrested at his station house last night.

The first noticeable feature which undoubtedly is an outgrowth of the new experience of the country in having had a Labor administration for a time, in the small part now played in the election literature by foreign affairs and the defence question.

Labor claims credit for the important steps taken at Geneva toward arbitration, security and general disarmament.

These are scarcely mentioned in the Labor manifesto, apart from the Russian treaties, and a brief paragraph claiming credit for the improved relations with France and Germany, and noting the important steps taken at Geneva toward arbitration, security and general disarmament.

In the Liberal document allusions are equally scanty, but in the Conservative manifesto, following the Tory tradition, the Empire and foreign relations are given greater attention, but still are overshadowed by social and economic situations, in reference to foreign affairs, Mr. Baldwin pronounces his party for co-operation in all matters admitting of common action with the United States "for the support and strengthening of the League of Nations on practical lines."

Unionists' Defence Views

With regard to defence, he says that the Unionists, if returned to power, will have to "examine afresh the position in which the defences of the Empire have been left by the present administration," and while favoring any practical proposals for the general limitation of armaments, must "scrutinize carefully in conjunction with the Dominions the far-reaching commitments and implications of the scheme recently put forward at Geneva."

Free Trade and Protection

After the result of the general election a year ago it is not surprising to find that the question of free trade versus protection has also almost vanished from the picture. It is true that the Liberal document pronounces unambiguously for free trade, but the Labor manifesto does not mention the subject.

Mr. Baldwin admits that the last election settled the question, but he still advocates a safeguarding industries act, which the Labor administration abolished, and supports measures to imperial preference, which he declares "we shall steadily keep to the front."

BRITISH COLUMBIAN TO CONTEST ELECTION

Lieut.-Col. Angus Macdonnell, of Vancouver, to Run as Conservative in Dartford, Kent

VANCOUVER, Oct. 11.—Vancouver's keen interest in the forthcoming British general election will be greatly increased from the fact that one of her foremost popular citizens in the person of Lieut.-Col. Angus Macdonnell, C.B., C.M.G., is to contest the constituency of Dartford, Kent, under the Conservative banner.

The Col. Macdonnell left on Friday afternoon in order to reach his constituency in time for the final days of the whirlwind campaign. Dartford, where Col. Macdonnell has made his home for the past five years, is a large industrial constituency. Sitting member is a Laborite, Jack Mills, who was elected by a large majority at the last election. In the district there are large cement and paper works and the whole area is densely populated.

Col. Macdonnell was adopted as a prospective Conservative candidate for Dartford some months ago, and since that time has been carefully "nursing" the constituency, making three or more speeches a week in the district. He only reached Vancouver on a visit ten days ago.

Claims Quebec Court Had No Legal Existence

MONTREAL, Oct. 11.—Claiming that the five condemned men have not been legally tried because the Court of King's Bench had no legal existence in the Province of Quebec, and Mr. Justice Wilson, of the Supreme Court, was without jurisdiction in presiding counsel for the defence in the case of the five condemned men before the Supreme Court of Canada writ of habeas corpus to save Tony Frank, Louis M. Gaspino, Gillespie Herpin and Mike Valentine, under sentence of death for their part in the Bank of Hochelaga murder and holdup last April.

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KOENIGSBERG, Germany, Oct. 11.—A courier in the service of the Moscow Government, who travels frequently between Russia and continental Europe, has given up trains for the airplane. He has made fifty air trips between here and Moscow, a distance of 700 miles, and estimates he has thus saved himself 100 days of travel in uncomfortable trains.

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JACK MINER KNOWN AS FRIEND OF BIRDS

CANADIAN ORNITHOLOGIST WINS INTERNATIONAL REPUTE

ONTARIO'S NATURE LOVER MAINTAINS SANCTUARY FOR FEATHERED VISITORS IN KINGVILLE

TORONTO, Oct. 11.—George E. Buchanan, of Detroit, whose hobby is to take a number of boys on an educational trip to Alaska every summer, asked Jack Miner, of Kingville, Ontario, to accompany him on his party this year. Thus the reputation of Canada's "bird man" is extended beyond the confines of his own country. For Mr. Miner is the best-known ornithologist in the Dominion.

For years the American Government has taken an interest in the lectures given by Miner, but his visits to the United States have not been many. Lately he talked to a group of Detroit business men concerning his efforts to prevent the extermination of migratory birds in the mating season, and at the conclusion of his talk his auditors dropped \$1,500 into a hat to help fund and safeguard the creatures of the air.

Sanctuary Laws Help

Miner pointed out that the conventions between the United States and Canada for the protection of migratory birds covered in the Act ratified in Washington in 1917 have had a beneficial effect. This Act defines the opening and closing dates for shooting migratory birds, the penalty for the taking of their eggs and nests, the bag limits, the closed season, the kind of weapons permitted to sportsmen, the penalty for violating the law and the names of the birds protected by this law. Mr. Miner said:

"Since the Act went into effect I have noticed a steady increase in the number of birds that come to sojourn with me some years ago, when I first offered protection and food to birds that visited my bird sanctuary, only seven came. The next year the same seven came back with eleven others, and year by year the number has increased until this spring more than 4,000 were to be found there."

Wild Geese Know Him

Mr. Miner has lived on the farm he now occupies since childhood, and in his youth, when the farm was uncultivated forest land, he mingled daily with the wild things of the woods and learned to understand them.

About ten acres of the farm is set aside as the bird sanctuary and protection is extended for two miles around. In this area Mr. Miner makes an artificial pond and scattered corn on the banks and the shallow bottoms. In a recent year 7,000 bushels of corn on the banks and the shallow bottoms. In a recent year 7,000 bushels of corn on the banks and the shallow bottoms.

Even wild geese know and trust Jack Miner, and he walks among them without causing them any alarm.

While Mr. Miner receives small grants from the Dominion and the Ontario Governments, he carries on his altruistic work mainly for the love of it. He had the co-operation of Dr. William T. Hornaday, of New York, in bringing about the conventions between the United States and Canada which led to the present Migratory Birds Act.

MR. THOMAS TAKES HIGH MORAL VIEW

EXPLAINS REFUSAL TO REVIEW SEDITION CASE

Declares Commons Should Have Accepted Premier and Attorney-General's Statement

LONDON, Oct. 11.—J. H. Thomas, Colonial Secretary, opening his election campaign in Derby, which constituency he has represented in the Commons for six years, went into the matter of the withdrawal of the prosecution of Editor J. R. Campbell, of the Workers' Weekly, for alleged sedition. He said his response to those who asked why the Government did not accept the proposal of the Liberal members of the House of Commons to appoint a select committee to inquire into the Campbell case was this:

"Should Believe Leaders

"If I have reached the stage where the Prime Minister of this country and the Attorney-General, having from their places in the House pledged their own honor as to everything that has taken place in the Campbell matter, and having told their full story with regard thereto, are simply to be told 'we do not believe you,' how can we expect that the administration of this country or negotiations with foreign powers can be conducted with the whole House crying 'we do not believe you'?"

Mr. Thomas emphatically declared that with a full knowledge of all that had taken place in the Campbell matter, he could say that no pressure of any sort had been brought to bear on the Government to influence its decision in the case.

Mr. Thomas said it was because the Government's opponents felt that the Labor Party was digging itself in too well and because the next Labor

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Glory of Heavens Opens To October Star Gazers

This Month and Next Are Particularly Favorable for Amateur Astronomers—November Is Month of Meteors, While During Next Two Weeks Great Nebula in Andromeda Can Be Seen Without Telescope—Venus Is Sideral Song Before Sunrise

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—October and November are two good months to look at the stars, for November is the month of meteors. During October the great nebula in Andromeda can be seen without the aid of a telescope, says a bulletin from the American Nature Association, which points out that Mars is the only one of the bright planets to be seen in October evenings. You must get up before sunrise to see Venus, which is glorious at that time. Jupiter and Saturn are too close to the sun to be seen in October.

With the visit of Mars this summer, when it was only 34,000,000 miles away, and nearer than it had been in a century, the Nature Association says a remarkable impetus has been given "star gazing." Reports of a new comet discovered by the Bonn Observatory recall the visit of Halley's comet in May, 1910. This comet is due again in 1986. In 1910 the comet was only 14,000,000 miles away.

In November, every year several meteor showers are due. The Leonids, named because they come from the general direction of the constellation Leo, appear about November 18, but it will be necessary to be up before sunrise to see them because Leo is then in the morning sky.

Meteors and Fire Balls

The Andromedes, which will seem to come from the direction of Andromeda, will appear in the evening hours, however, about November 23 or 24. Then there are the Taurids, several distinct groups appearing at different times during the month from different points in Taurus. These also will appear in the evening hours, from the direction of Taurus, nearly due east. An occasional fireball, which is simply a meteor of exceptional brilliancy that may succeed in reaching the earth's surface, has been known to appear among the Taurids, so keep an eye on

the eastern heavens November evenings, something of special interest in the way of meteors may be seen.

The object that will probably first catch your eye November evenings will be the straggling W in Cassiopeia, in the northern heavens, high above the pole. You will probably search in vain for the Big Dipper, for it lies on the opposite side of the pole from Cassiopeia, and is so close to the horizon in November that it is concealed from view, partly if not completely, by trees or buildings to the northward. Possibly you will be able to make out the outlines of the Little Dipper, though, with the North Star, Polaris, at the end of its handle.

Recession of Mars

Next to Cassiopeia, the Great Square in Pegasus with the constellation of Andromeda, joining it on the east, is one of the most noticeable of the autumn groups. It now lies directly on the meridian due south of the zenith overhead. To the southwest of the Great Square lies Aquarius, the Water-Bearer, which can be distinguished by the Y-shaped group of stars from which the stream of faint stars is flowing toward the south and southeast. Mars, still in Aquarius, where it has been for many months, is moving rapidly toward during November and receding from the earth.

In the east in November you will recognize some old acquaintances in the Pleiades and Hyades in Taurus, and Aldebaran, the fiery red eye of the Bull. November was known in ancient times as the month, and the ancient Kings of Persia, never failed to grant any request presented to them on November 17, the day when the Pleiades were at the meridian at midnight. This exquisite little group with five stars forming a tiny dipper, and two additional stars which lie close by, will be one of the most noted groups in the heavens. The V-shaped cluster of the Hyades is scarcely less famous.

MEXICAN BANDITS KILL NINE PEOPLE

WRECK TRAIN TO SECURE \$15,000 PAYROLL

Auditor of Mining Company and Eight Others Lined Up and Shot Near Juarez

EL PASO, Tex., Oct. 11.—E. F. Barker, of El Paso, auditor of the El Paso Mining Company, and eight other men were lined up and shot to death Thursday by bandits who wrecked a freight train of the Chihuahua & Oriente Railway, forty-one miles southwest of Juarez, Mexico, in a \$15,000 payroll.

The entire train crew was included in the nine men killed. The amount taken in the robbery was estimated by military officials, but has not yet been verified. A customs guard, Manuel Ortega, of Juarez, the only man on the train who was armed, is missing. It is believed he also was killed.

A rail had been removed from a curve in the track where the train ran slowly. The engine, tender and a box car loaded with dynamite, left the track. According to the story received here, the members of the train crew and Barker were marched to a point near the rear of the train, where they were required to sit down with their backs against an embankment, their hands raised above their heads. Each was shot in the forehead with the exception of one—Juan Medrano, of Chihuahua, assistant roadmaster.

Medrano, apparently, leaped from the caboose of the train and connected up a field telephone set before the bandits saw him. A blood-stained note, addressed to his wife, reading: "Go to your mother, I am about to die," was found along the right of way. His body was found in the caboose, shot twice through the chest. His head had been beaten with a rock.

Federal troops are at the scene of the hold-up to start in pursuit of the bandits, two of whom are thought to be Americans.

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Fletcher Bros. have gone to considerable expense in providing this broadcasting service, which is being greatly appreciated, as the messages of commendation that they have received fully indicate. The firm has a splendid studio, and an up-to-date plant. It uses the Steinway and the Acoustic Duo-Art reproducing pianos in their radio concerts.

Programmes are given by Fletcher Bros. four nights each week. Every Tuesday and Thursday night, from 7 to 8 o'clock, Duo-Art and Victor records are broadcasted, while each Wednesday and Friday, commencing at 8 o'clock, the programme consists of concerts by well-known local artists. Victoria possesses a wealth of musical and other talent, and local artists have responded in generous fashion to requests that they participate in these concerts. There is a versatility of talent at these concerts, from jazz orchestras to grand opera singers.

Programmes Are Varied

The programmes at Fletcher Bros. are varied in character, and include such interesting features as lectures, educational addresses, public speeches, musical selections, instrumental and vocal, and other such features that have an appeal to all who "listen in" on the radio. The programmes are personally conducted by Mr. Frederic King, the musical director and announcer, while Mr. George Deaville is the operator of the plant.

Fletcher Bros., greatly encouraged by the success of their broadcasting service, are planning special features during the Winter months in the way of programmes, and propose from time to time to run special nights, such programmes containing popular songs, Scotch songs, Irish songs, oratorio nights, sacred nights and grand opera nights.

This broadcasting service was inaugurated by Fletcher Bros. in August, and in view of the undertaking being an innovation, for it is the first time that it has included such a feature in its business, the splendid results are highly gratifying and the firm intends to maintain the excellent standard of entertainments that it has already established.

Centre of Distribution

"We propose making the store the means or centre of distributing things that are of interest and carry a wide appeal to all," says J. J. Fletcher, manager of Fletcher Bros. Limited. In speaking to The Colonist yesterday concerning the operations and success of the service, "Victoria radio enthusiasts have expressed appreciation of our programmes, and the splendid contribution local artists are making. People in various parts of the country have stated that our programmes give them great enjoyment, and they certainly will be welcomed by people in lighthouses and other places where music, literary and other forms of entertainment are brought in this way right to their door."

Mr. Fletcher predicts a wonderful future for radio, and believes that the time is not so very far away when the radio will occupy in the home the same important place as the telephone does at the present time. He declares that the radio is a means of promoting home life, inasmuch as many people who might be inclined to go out every night will not leave their homes so frequently, on account of the splendid programmes that they can receive at their residences through the radio service.

The Last Word in Radio
Fletcher Bros. carry a full line of radio sets, and are exclusive agents for the Crosley line and Giffaliani sets. They have just received the first radiola super-heterodyne set to be shipped into British Columbia, this instrument being outstanding in super-sensitivity, super-selectivity, faithful reproduction, portability and reliability. This is the last word in radio.

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A popular New York visitor in the Alberni district this summer is Mrs. M. H. Vines, who is here shown with a 40-lb. salmon which she caught in the Alberni Canal. Mrs. Vines, who is an ardent sportswoman, came to Port Alberni early in August for a short stay, and enjoyed herself so much that she has extended her stay until the first of November. She is starting her home in the Alberni district this week, and expects to be in Victoria for a day or two on her way through.

external, and the concealed loop is smaller, and fixed in position. There is provision, however, for the use of an external loop of larger area.

This radiola super-heterodyne is especially useful in thickly populated districts, but especially for vacation traveling and general use are almost unlimited. Its utility during the vacation season is particularly striking. In such cases, an entertainment is usually indoors for rainy days, dancing on the front porch in the evening, music for the picnic, for the motor boat outing and the automobile tour.

START ALL OVER AGAIN ON CHARGE

HARRY McADAM WILL AGAIN COME BEFORE MAGISTRATE

Following Sudden Stop in Assize Court Crown Regius Case Again in Police Court

Following the precipitate conclusion of the assizes on Friday, Harvey McAdam was brought up in the police court yesterday before Magistrate Jay, sitting as stipendiary magistrate for the county of Victoria. The case was taken into court by the Provincial Police, represented by Chief Constable Robert Owen.

McAdam, who is alleged to have committed an indecent assault in Saanich on June 13 last, was to have stood his trial at the assize that came to an end just as his case was about to open, a true bill having been found against him by the grand jury. When the decision was reached to call a halt in the proceedings, McAdam was given his liberty long enough to leave the court room, when he was immediately rearrested. His appearance in the police court yesterday indicates that a new order of commitment is about to be sought.

Mr. Owen said that he was instructed by the Attorney-General's Department to ask a remand in the case until Wednesday or some other date, as it had been impossible to obtain the witnesses that were necessary.

Magistrate Jay asked as to counsel for the accused.

Mr. Owen said that he did not know whether he had anyone acting as counsel for him now. Mr. Robert Camlidy, K. C., had acted for him at the assizes.

The magistrate asked how it was that the accused came back to him as he had committed him for trial before.

Mr. Owen explained that he had been rearrested after the close of the assizes.

The magistrate said he supposed that this would be explained when the case came later. He adjourned the hearing until Monday, advising the accused to get a lawyer if he intended to have one.

NEAR EAST RELIEF EMISSARY IS HERE

Mr. F. Guy Talbot, of Los Angeles, Is to Address Several Public Gatherings in City This Week

Mr. F. Guy Talbot, Pacific Coast director of the Near East Relief, is up from Los Angeles on one of his periodical visits in this section of the country, and is a guest at the Strathcona Hotel for a few days.

While here, he will speak to a number of gatherings on the situation in the Near East, which he recently visited, and about which, consequently, he can give first-hand information. He is speaking from the pulpit of the First Baptist Church this morning, and this evening will say a few words from the pulpit of the City Temple.

On Monday evening he is speaking at a public gathering, and on Tuesday will address the students of the Victoria College, telling them of the condition of the children of Armenia, and describing something of the measures which the Armenian Relief Fund of Canada and the Near East Relief are taking to help the sufferers in the Bible lands. These two organizations are caring for 50,000 orphans and other children.

Thrifty French Find Way To Beat Inheritance Tax

PARIS, Oct. 11.—A law was passed in France recently making the legal adoption of children relatively easy of accomplishment, and the new measure is raising the loss of revenue to the government.

Inheritance taxes in France are heavy. On a fortune of 1,000,000 francs a nephew who inherits must pay 400,000 francs to the state, a grandnephew 441,000 francs, an unrelated inheritor 482,000 francs, but a child pays 123,000 francs.

Adopted children rank as real children, so it has become the habit for twentifiers to adopt distant relatives and friends to whom they desire to leave money.

Tong War in Brooklyn
NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—Wing Wing, a Chinese laundryman, may die as the result of two bullet wounds he received tonight in what the police believe is an expansion of the tong war in Brooklyn.

CHURCH AND STAGE CLOSELY ASSOCIATED

So Claims Mr. Francis Kenyon, Well-Known Actor, Reaching at City Temple This Evening

"The church and the stage are indivisibly associated, in fact, religion is the mother of the drama," said Mr. Francis Kenyon, the actor, who is visiting the city and who will recite at the City Temple this evening.

The drama arose from the choric dances in honor of Dionysus, and in all ages, all climes, all civilizations, the theatre took its inspiration from the temple, and flourished, not despite religion, but because of it.

Although the early Christians, in their glorious over-zeal to make the world anew, suppressed the pagan playhouse and left the perpetuation of the histrionic idea for centuries to wandering mimes, so necessary is the theatre to impress the mind of man for good, that we find a great religiously inspired revival of play-acting under the aegis of the church in the Middle Ages. Then the incomparable Shakespeare, the father of the drama, as we moderns know it, ascended and blessed the world with his terrific pen pictures of good everlastingly at war with evil—God the eternal arbiter.

Our present day drama, in its best form, is a preaching, on the beauty of virtue and the ugliness of vice, the sanctity of honor and the sacredness of life, with conscience the ever present guardian of the soul.

True, the theatre today has its Augean stables, but an unscrupulous theatrical manager or a dissolute actor is no worse than a bigoted or hypocritical churchman; a salacious musical comedy no more pernicious than a Sunday morning fashion show.

It is that, and that only, which is highest and best in anything that justifies its existence.

Any activity on the part of church or stage which aims at the instilling of righteous ways of thought is utterly desirable.

When church and stage meet with this divine objective much will be done for the elevation of mankind.

Although the race is suffering from "new toys" (if I may coin a word) in respect of the much over-valued motion picture, because of the general increase of education among the people and the consequent demand for something greater and better than the artificially, I believe we are on the verge of a great legitimate revival.

The public is getting weary of mere dumb shows. It is beginning to hunger again for the sound of the most beautiful organ in the world—the human voice. The standard of actors and acting will be higher. There will be fewer "stars" and more finished players.

In regard to the actor individually, with the exception of a few geniuses whose lustre the most rabid debauchery dimmed only after years, the most efficient performer is he who lives the most religiously and sincerely. For acting is hard work, which demands

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ISLAND DEVELOPMENT

The tour of members of the Chamber of Commerce to the populated centres of Vancouver Island during the past week gives promise of being fruitful in definite action in the way of co-operative development in the months and years to come. Everywhere the local businessmen were received in a cordial way. Everywhere the promise was given, and given without reservation, that unity of action would be forthcoming and the feeling was that it would prove a distinct asset on the road of material progress. The case for such unity was put forward with admirable felicity by Mr. C. P. W. Schwengers, the President of the Chamber of Commerce. It was emphasized, so far as the single item of the tourist traffic is concerned, by Mr. J. C. Pender, the President of the Victoria and Vancouver Island Publicity Bureau. It was the keynote of speeches delivered by Mr. H. Despard Twigg and Mr. C. F. Davis, members-elect of the Legislature for Victoria and Cowichan respectively, and it was indeed the theme of every speaker in all localities visited.

There is no definite plan as yet decided upon about what is to be done to translate into action the hopes that have grown out of the Chamber of Commerce tour. It is in this respect that we wish to say something. In the first place, it is essential that the members of the Legislature who represent Vancouver Island should be consulted with and kept advised at every turn of the road that is traveled in co-operative effort. That is not only an important factor, but one that is obviously necessary. The forum of those members is comprised of the population of Vancouver Island. The forum of the Chamber of Commerce and of the different Boards of Trade of the Island is comprised of their own membership. The co-operation that is wanted is that of all and every interest concerned about progress, and it is logical not only to suggest, but to insist, that the members of our Legislature should be called to the councils which are going to take the initiative in the co-operative movement that is designed. Not only that, but they should form a part and parcel of those councils always. Their aid, as a solid bloc for securing legislative enactment to promote development, is imperative.

There is another matter of which we would like to say something respecting co-operative development. Whatever organization may have the new movement in hand it should act as a clearing house of information about Vancouver Island. The spoken word about our resources and prospects has, in the past, proved too often misleading and inaccurate. There is no reliable compendium of information about the Island as a whole, no gazetteer, as it might be called, kept constantly up-to-date, no authority existing for the purpose being able to give at a moment's notice any and all data that might be required on any particular locality and respecting any phase of the resources that are ours. In a co-operative movement there must be a basis of accurate information always available. We assume that the new development factor will be largely concerned with industrial activities. It will be for the purpose of making known our resources as to induce capital investment. It will be for the purpose of endeavoring to conserve those resources so that the people of Vancouver Island will derive the greatest benefits from their utilization. It will be with a view to dealing with those problems that militate against industrial progress in Island localities. As a basis for properly functioning it is but common sense to propose a bureau of information, both statistical and descriptive, which will be under capable direction, and which, moreover, will operate as a clearing house for the co-operative and sectional suggestions that will arise from time to time.

There is yet another phase of the undertaking that, in our estimation, should come within the purview of the new co-operative movement. The motto of the movement is to be, we take it, "one for all and all for one" where the interests of Vancouver Island are concerned. To effect the purpose in view there must be a permanently active body keeping in constant touch with all Island centres and being kept regularly informed on all aspects of each new problem that develops. That body should be ready to take action, not at specified intervals, but whenever the need arises. It should be composed of those who best represent public opinion in the different localities. It should, we submit, have an organizing personality constantly at work and in perpetual touch with the Island as a whole, as well as a board of directors devising and guiding policies. After

the recent tour, and all that was said during the course of it, Vancouver Island has the right to expect the formulation of measures which will lead to prompt, decisive and continuous action. It has the right to expect well considered and directive purposes to promote industrial development. It has the right to expect that each section will have its voice and vote in the industrial organization designed to foster progress and cope with the difficulties that exist.

These suggestions now made with respect to the movement that is proposed are advanced solely with the object of making that movement a continuous success. It may be assumed that the co-operation of the press of Vancouver Island is sought, in addition to the co-operation desired from every other quarter. The press has some knowledge of the value of publicity and some knowledge, too, of the best means to be employed in attaining the objects in view. That is why it is suggested that there should be a clearing house of information in connection with the new movement that is proposed. It is because of the close touch which exists between the press and public opinion that it is urged that the members of the Legislature who represent the people of Vancouver Island should be given a prominent place in the councils of Island development. If this newspaper has been of any assistance in outlining in a broad way the purposes and functions of a Vancouver Island body, that will in the future act as a spur to industrial development, it is simply following a policy which it has advocated for some years past. It is a matter of gratification that this policy seems nearer to realization on account of the tour undertaken by Mr. Schwengers and his colleagues, and because of the enthusiastic promises of co-operation which have now been secured from the different centres of population on Vancouver Island.

SOCIAL REFORM MISSION

A large number of Canadians know Rev. J. G. Shearer, B.A., D.D. Nearly all Canadians have heard or read about the Doctor and his public activities, chiefly in connection with his advocacy of a stricter observance of the Sabbath day. We have never been able to see eye to eye, as it were, with the reverend gentleman on that particular subject, but we heartily commend his efforts for the improvement of the moral and ethical standards of Canadians.

The Doctor and his organization at one time did not look with favor on Sunday newspapers. Possibly he has modified his views on that subject. We hope he has; and if he has, we can tell him that the publication of a Sunday morning newspaper does not involve one-tenth of the Sunday labor that the publication of a Monday morning newspaper involves, and there is a considerable number of Monday morning newspapers published in the Province of Ontario and in other parts of Canada, where public opinion is said to be somewhat emphatic on the subject of the proper observance of the Sabbath.

Furthermore, The Sunday Colonist is not an ordinary Sunday newspaper. That is to say, it is different altogether in the nature of its contents from the Sunday newspapers which Dr. Shearer is familiar with—not that we mean to insinuate that the Doctor reads any Sunday newspapers at all. Therefore if the former objection of the Lord's Day Alliance to Sunday newspapers is based upon a belief that the reading of Sunday newspapers is pernicious because of the character of the contents of such newspapers, we can tell Dr. Shearer that no reader of The Sunday Colonist will be influenced to his hurt by what he reads therein.

However, on his present visit to the city Dr. Shearer represents an organization which is dealing with matters about which there can be no controversy. He is the general secretary of the Social Service Council of Canada. The mission of this Society is one which every good citizen can endorse most heartily, even with enthusiasm. That mission may be comprehensively expressed in two sentences: The suppression of great national evils and the promotion of good in the community and in national life. The organization is inter-denominational. All the churches of Canada are represented upon the Council. A circular of the Council states: There are now thirty bodies in the membership, including the Anglican, Methodist, Presbyterian, Baptist, Congregational and Evangelical Churches. In six Provinces the Roman Catholic Church is a member.

Canada's Story Day by Day

by ALDOUS DAVIES

OCTOBER 12
History has condemned the expulsion of the French-Canadians from their homes by the British, but how many realize that in this historical event is seen only the consummation of a plan which had been formulated years before in the mind of Frontenac? Denonville had just been recalled from the governorship of New France and Frontenac appointed to fill his place. Callière, Governor of Montreal, suggested to Louis XIV. that if the English colony at New York could so wisely be expelled, the difficulties would be solved. The king adopted the idea and equipped two ships for the enterprise, which was entrusted to Frontenac. His plan was to descend with troops by way of Lake Champlain, while the ships went to New York to effect a coasting assault in harmony with the attack by land. The eighteen hundred English colonists were to be expelled from their homes. Some of the skilled artisans, carpenters and ironworkers, were to be selected to work as slaves for their French captors. The remainder, men, women and children, were to be dispersed in the raw Autumn weather, here and there along the Atlantic coast where their strength would be dissipated, to face the winter without food or shelter. Delays due to bad weather made the arrival of Frontenac's ships from France too late for the carrying out of this object, the date of the Gulf until this day in 1683. Only because the season was now too late to attempt the descent from Lake Champlain, New York, was the fate which was suffered by the Acadians, later, though the first plan was one purely of aggression, and the Acadian expulsion was prompted in self-defence.

OCTOBER 13
On this day in 1820 John William Davison was born in Pictou, Nova Scotia. He was one of the best type, rugged, honest and at the same time ambitious. His hope was centred in the building of a great railway from the moment of his birth that he should have the finest education which could be procured out of their own country. He was a student at the Scotch school at Pictou, and the boy was started on his way to the Christian ministry. As time went on, however, his interests changed more and more closely to science, and he eventually resolved to make it a life study. He travelled fast along the avenues of knowledge, and in 1845 he was Superintendent of Education in Nova Scotia. Among his friends and supporters was Joseph Howe the great statesman. He was appointed principal of McGill University. He went to Montreal and found the only access to the University buildings was by a rudimentary cart track from the town to the foot of the mountain; some classes being held at the college, some in the town. The buildings were ruinous, the grounds unfenced and littered with rubbish. There were one hundred and ten students registered. He plucked up his courage and by the end of his thirty-eight years in office, left McGill ranking among the world's best institutions of learning. In 1874 he was knighted for his work. Thus did the dream of an honest emigrant parent come to be realized, and the realization of that dream is the world's better place to live in.

"CONSIDER THE LILIES"

(At the Beautiful Gate of the Temple)

Come, let us dwell apart awhile
And think of things that are no more.
Life's worldly treasures you have left,
As tender memory clings;
The hallowed stores of Harvest Home,
The golden sheaves of wheat and corn,
And bounteous wealth, 'neath God's high dome,
His children's comforts spell.

All gifts of grain sent from above,
His wondrous "Truth" proclaim
Seed time and Harvest breathe His love
Since first the message came:
The fruit, the flowers, in "Beauty" dress.
By grace, His "Goodness" brings
And His Own Son, Redeemer blest,
"Rejoiced in common things."

No princely equipage can bring
Nor furs, nor costly gems,
The hidden wealth from lips that sing
And kiss His saintly hem.
In subtle fancy let us roam
Where Jesus erstwhile played,
Hard by we see His mother's home
Whence ne'er His footsteps strayed.
A sainted Boy at sunrise speeds
Ere dewdrops drift away:
Nought but the birds and flowers He hears
As dawn the Spring-tide day:
Soft rosette gold and crimson band
Stretch far, horizon-bound
From aureoled depths like fairyland
Spread mystic light and sound.
The saintly Youth has nearer drawn—
Behold! The Mary of the Rose:
His smiling face bright as the morn;
"Tis He! God's Holy One!"
To pluck for her these symbols sweet,
All clothed at His command;
In myriad hues her eyes to greet—
"Lilies of Holyland!"
See where He stoops, no fairer sight—
Here ambient beauties meet:
Pink, purple, blue and red and white,
At His feet, at His feet,
He loved the lilies gloried when
Matchless as Heaven's own Light;
Nor was King Solomon e'er seen
Arrayed like these in might.
O'er Palestine's fair sunny fields
Scarce fall the "latter-rains";
When Nature's treasure all unveiled,
Lends beauty to her lanes
From Olivet, Tabor, Ebat,
Far as the eye can range
Blaze orient-tint splendor that
Herald the seasons' change.
Thus, Jesus glorified the hills,
"Rejoiced in common things";
Than His, no sweeter Service yields
Nor grander anthem rings:
Then hark! Fast Faith—true source of Life
From Hope ne'er let us swerve;
Securely held from carnal strife,
By Love then let us serve.
—Jeanne Valdez.
Victoria, B.C., Oct. 10, 1924.

BERLIN HELPS ITS NEEDY

BERLIN, Oct. 11.—A daughter of the late Rudolph Virchow, famous German surgeon and humanitarian, renowned for his eloquence and enthusiasm in the cause, will speak at one of the meetings.

3-Minute Journeys

By TEMPLE MANNING

Mongolia is a bleak country situated between China and Russia, and noted for its violent windstorms, frequent rains, and severely cold winters. The region, for miles around, is one vast desolate stretch of barren land and rolling plains.

The condition of the country makes it unsuitable for agriculture, and because of the rigorous climate, the Mongolians have become pastoral people. They tend herds of sheep and goatland wander from one section of the country to the other in search of grazing land for their flocks.

Because they are constantly on the move, they are called "nomads of the desert." For this reason the Mongolians have devised, and built for their own special use, portable dwellings, known as "yurts."

These dwellings are huge circular affairs, resembling large beehives, but so constructed that they can be erected or taken down in thirty minutes, and built to withstand the severe windstorms of the Gobi desert, one of the bleakest of deserts in all the world.

The Mongolians are among the dirtiest people on earth. Due to the scarcity of water, and the frequency of the rain, the Mongolian country, they do not feel obliged to bathe more than once a year. Yet, in striking contrast to this utter lack of personal hygiene, is the cleanliness and neatness of their temples. These temples are kept scrupulously clean, and when a Mongol is not busy tending his herds, he is occupied with beautifying the interior of these houses of worship.

As everyone knows, the milk of animals and goats are highly nutritious and the inhabitants of Mongolia practically live on it, as it enables them to endure thirst and starvation. The unique method of milking the goats is both interesting and amusing. The owner places several goats in a row, facing each other and to keep them quiet and enable him to do his milking at leisure, he ties their heads firmly together.

There is a similarity in costume between the early settlers of our own country and the Mongolians, the plainness. A characteristic trait, that stands out above all others, is their hospitality and friendliness. No stranger need want for money, food, or shelter when travelling through a Mongolian village. In fact, a Mongol will go out of his way to make a visitor feel comfortable.

Today, October 12
Is the Anniversary of:
Birth of King Edward VI of England; Hampton Court, 1537.
Birth of Pedro I, Emperor of Brazil; 1798.
Birth of Hugh Miller, famous Scottish geologist; Cromarty, 1803.
Death of Maximilian II, Holy Roman Emperor; Ratisbon, 1576.
Death of Robert Stephenson, the great engineer, son of George Stephenson, railway pioneer; London, 1859.
Landing of Columbus and his followers on Watling Island, one of the Bahamas, signalling the discovery of America; 1492.
Makers of Nurse Edith Cavell by the Germans; Brussels, 1915.
October 15 Anniversaries
Birth of Sophia, Electress of Hanover, mother of King George I; Mayence, 1630.
Birth of Ferdinand VII, King of Spain at time of Napoleon's invasion; Bayona, 1774.
Death of Claudius, Roman Emperor; poisoned, 54 A. D.
Death of Theodore Bena, eminent philosopher and friend of Calvin; Geneva, 1605.
Death of Thomas Harrison, Parliamentary general in the struggle against Charles I; executed in the Tower, 1649.
Death of Dr. John Gill, eminent Baptist divine; Southwark, 1771.
Death of Joachim Murat, Napoleon's famous cavalry leader at King of Naples; shot at Pizzo, 1815.
Death of Antonio Canova, celebrated Italian sculptor; Venice, 1822.
Death of Mrs. Mary Anne, noted philanthropist and prison reformer; Ramsgate, 1845.
Battle of Queenston Heights and death of General Sir Isaac Brock; 1812.
Arrival of Duke and Duchess of Connaught at Quebec on way to Ottawa; 1911.

Mrs. E. E. Blackwood: An Appreciation

(Contributed)

Perhaps those words never come home so forcibly to us as they do when a friend passes suddenly across the threshold of life. Mrs. E. E. Blackwood did last Wednesday. She was taken ill in a well-known beautiful old home, where many of her children's days were spent, and she met her last journey there to visit a cousin who was ill. Many in Victoria who had trouble and illness in their homes will remember how quickly she responded when she knew assistance was needed. Both rich and poor have appreciated her kind sympathy and practical help in times of sorrow. Her hospitable nature won her many friends, and our sincere regrets go out to her bereaved family at this time.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except upon the paper of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

Cost of Taxation

Sir,—Systems of taxation and of government must be judged and stand or fall on results. How many times have the taxpayers been fooled into hoping a change of party would improve conditions? Do the results inspire further hope?

Since both parties have achieved the science of "getting in and staying in" by unlimited borrowing and squandering of public funds, Canada's condition has rapidly degenerated. We face the end of the road. A decrease in revenue from other than taxation, borrowing three dollars to pay one of debt, thereby compounding debt and interest, a rapid falling off of population of our best industrial blood—further increase of taxation in continuity with fewer to pay it.

The party system has educated a large part of the population to rely upon non-productive government service and pay, too often fake jobs for satellites at the expense of the taxpayer.

If we were asked what were the outstanding activities of Canada, truth would compel the reply: politics, taxation, liquor traffic and auto credits.

Time was when the vast wealth represented by the natural resources of Canada, and the same applies to this Province in particular, were constituted to more than offset the costs of government and for development for a great and prosperous population. Here, experience has proved that party politics, a fairly safe and efficient system for British conditions, becomes, when combined with the handling of large natural wealth, demoralizing and disastrous.

The day of a tax-free country or Province is past, but it is not too late, by a change to non-partisan business management, to reduce taxation to the minimum of necessity, stop borrowing, turn the annual balance into a reserve of actual credit with a continuous reduction of debt and taxation.

The politician will tell you all this is impossible. To attempt such drastic change would disrupt the country, the throwing of so many out of Government employ would swell the ranks of the unemployed and the exodus to the United States.

Well, has not politics done about all the disrupting we or the country can well stand and survive? I leave to the judgment of the taxpayer, the business man, the industrial worker, the citizen who holds the welfare of country and people above politics, what the effect would be of the changes suggested, of the release of a vast sum of money from taxation, non-productive service, and other waste and dissipation of public money, what effect it would have upon stabilizing development and employment. Would it not pave the way for steady employment not only for those now idle and those who would be released from Government employ, not only for the thousands driven out of Canada who but await opportunity to return, but also for a steady tide of immigration from the Old Land?

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BOOKBINDING PAPER RULING

over lessons in which, in hundreds of cases, the parents are unable to assist.

I think it is safe to state that seventy-five per cent of the pupils attending the public schools get their main help from their parents, but seventy-five per cent of the parents are unable to render any assistance to their children when they enter the High School course. It is quite possible that the classes are too large for the teachers, who are unable to give to the pupils the personal tuition that is essential if they are to make reasonable progress in their studies.

Our young people enter the High School a lot of happy, healthy creatures. They have won their places by reason of hard work and steady and continuous studies, but one would hardly believe they are the same boys and girls after hours of late study and worrying over subjects that their parents never learned.

Some change should be made at once. One of the lower schools has attempted to solve the problem by having the teachers stay with their pupils a half hour later. If the pupils are to have a fair chance to progress in their different subjects more time must be given them by those whose duty it is to teach them.

It is positively cruel to have pupils worrying over their studies from supper to bedtime.

E. L. SMITH,
Room 1, Imperial Bank Building,
Victoria, B.C., October 11, 1924.

The Book Case

Sir,—Owing to the widespread interest in the Book trial, and in view of the fact that the judge stated in passing sentence "that he had searched in vain for any circumstances which would justify a lighter sentence," it might not come amiss if a few of us who have benefited by Dr. Hoak's skill and knowledge should come forward and voice our protest that he, because of an accident, should be removed from a sphere of usefulness where he could be of benefit to society.

The Vancouver Province is disturbed because the law is not elastic enough to cover a case like Dr. Hoak. So are many others; and to judge a man, who works at high pressure, operating every day in the saving of life like an ordinary criminal is the height of folly.

That he should be convicted of "reckless disregard for human life" sounds very strange indeed to one who has had the privilege of his services.

Let us trust that the learned Judges of the Appeal Court will have before them evidence which will leave no doubt in their minds whether society will be benefited most by Dr. Hoak's incarceration or liberty.

JEAN HERCHIMER,
"Pharos," 1610 Oxford Street, Victoria, B.C., Oct. 11, 1924.

Sanitish Police Commission
Sir,—In my remarks at the Sanitish Police Commission meeting, held at Royal Oak, last Friday, in referring to the handling of the Hoak case by the Sanitish police, I stated that my information was correct, the Book case was taken to a repair garage in Victoria and thoroughly washed before being repaired. I have been furnished with information today which would slightly correct my statement, and in fairness to the garage people I make it public. It is true that the car was washed, but it appears that it was not washed until some repairs had been made, and after washing, the remaining repairs were completed.

My point in referring to the matter was, that if the car had been impounded by Sanitish police and held for inspection, there could then have been no possible argument as to whether there were any marks on it or not.

ROBT. MACNICOL,
Chairman Sanitish Police Commission,
Sanitish, B.C., October 11, 1924.

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FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of October 12, 1874.)
Treasures—The annuals of treasure were shipped yesterday through Wells Fargo Express: Bank of British Columbia, \$25,000; Bank of British North America, \$25,000; F. G. Campbell, \$25,000; total, \$75,000.
Deaths—The young Miss Winmore died suddenly on Wednesday evening while adding a horse at Cuckoo Creek.
Deaths—Mr. R. Smith, headmaster of San Juan, died suddenly yesterday at the English Camp of heart disease. Mr. Smith built the schooner Favorite, steamship Emma and Maude, and many other vessels in Puget Sound and British Columbia waters.
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Of English make, unshrinkable garments in navy, sage, helio, grey and cream. Regular and out-sizes. Price, \$2.25
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Men's Winter Underwear

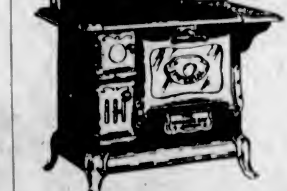
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Combinations, with long sleeves and ankle length. Per suit, \$3.00
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Penman's make, heavy ribbed all-wool underwear, suitable for the man who works out of doors. Shirts are made in double-breasted styles, ankle length drawers; sizes 34 to 44. Price, per garment, \$1.50
Men's Ribbed Cotton Underwear
Durable quality ribbed cotton underwear that will not irritate the skin; Stanfield's make; sizes 34 to 44. Price, per garment, \$2.00
Combinations with long sleeves and ankle length; sizes 34 to 44. Per suit, \$3.50
Men's "English Viking" Underwear
Natural wool and cotton underwear in a flat knit, guaranteed unshrinkable. The shirts are double-breasted and button on the shoulder, ankle length drawers; sizes 34 to 44. Price, per garment, \$1.75
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Social Events

Kumtux Bridge and Mah Jong
Members of the Kumtux Club were charming hostesses at a bridge-mah jong tea yesterday afternoon in the private dining-room of the Hudson's Bay Store. Additional guests arrived at the tea hour, when a graceful little dance performed by Miss Maurine Grate, a youthful pupil of Madame Valda, enhanced the delight of those present. The conveners of the bridge and mah jong games and a few of the guests included Mrs. H. P. Hodges, Miss Alma Russell, Miss Wigley, Miss Clay, Miss K. Bradshaw, Miss McLaughlin, Miss Paul, Mrs. P. Elliott, Mrs. Whillans, Mrs. M. Bradshaw, Miss Macrae, Miss Urvin, Mrs. C. N. Gowan, Mrs. P. A. E. Irving, Mrs. C. G. Todd, Mrs. Crawford Fennell, Mrs. Walsh, Miss Woolston, Miss Russell, Miss Bruce, Madame Sanderson-Mongin, Mrs. Kenneth McCarter, Mrs. H. P. Crowe, Mrs. Sweeney, Madame Valda, Miss Roberts, Miss Donagh, Miss Shaw, Miss Jennie Shaw, Mrs. Sommers. The bridge prize was won by Mrs. Hodges, and the mah jong by Mrs. Urvin. Among the guests at the tea hour were Mrs. P. Hodges, Mrs. Matheson, Mrs. McGraw, Mrs. Marlett, Miss Snyder, Mrs. Willis, Mrs. Grute, Mrs. Howell, and others.

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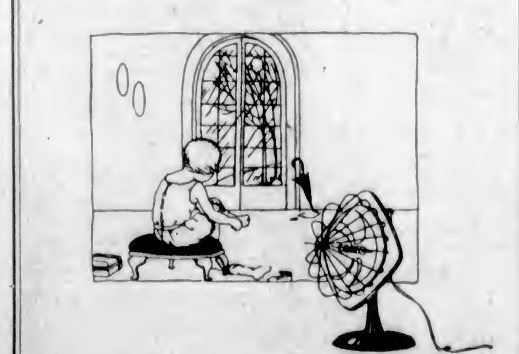


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The Misses Allison and Marjorie Raymond were hostesses at one of the most delightful of the early season dances last evening, at the Royal Victoria Yacht Club. Autumn leaves and baskets with a profusion of Michaelmas daisies and Fall flowers made a very effective decoration in the rooms and on the veranda. Heaton's orchestra supplied the music. The hostesses were assisted by their mother, Mrs. H. A. Raymond, in receiving their guests. The invited guests included the Misses Clare Moody, Dorothy Pendray, Dorothy Hicks, Winifred Lee, Edna Humber, Doris Plimley, Bonnie Cutler, Lillian Michalis, Mae Dinadale, Helen Starr, Molly Birch, Naomi Heming, Monica Davis, Marjorie Oate, Katie Colson, Violet Horne, Audrey Topp, Betty Savannah, Monina McKenna, Jinty Clayton, Maple Winterburn, Verna Morris, Nora McGimpsey, Maureen Modding, Mabel Henry, Jessie Grant, Neva Stuart, Nora Lewis, Jean Cole, Joyce Wormald, Frankie Jee-croft, Hilda Wood, Ruth Curtis, Hester Hester, Cleveland, Peggy Humber, Grace Humber, Nona Good-acre, Ethel Windau, Margaret Adam, Doris Woolston, Eva Spencer, Edna Luney, Alice Grimmon, Margaret Stevenson, Dorothy Peden, Margaret Mellor, Gladys Hinton, and Messrs. Aubrey Walls, Charles Walls, Alex. Strath, Maurice Humber, Harold Colman, Harold Henderson, V. Hendred, Frank Frost, Jack Watson, Walter Watson, R. Bainbridge, Roy Kendrick (Vancouver), Brook Whitney, Cliff Adams, Tim Cole, Arthur Welier, Jack Birch, Ray, Ditchburn, J. Prescott (Vancouver), H. Thurnburn, R. H. Hart, Charles Humber, Kelly Heming, Kellie Russell (Vancouver), Arthur Litchfield, Ted Corby, George Gardiner, J. McArthur (Vancouver), W. Brynjolfson, Noel Collison, Jack Speck, Cecil Shepherd, Fred Bartholomew, Charles Fraser, Claude Gounorton, Frank Sommers, James McNamee, Ford Yerrinder, Leslie Sanders, George McCann, Don Cameron, Don Maclean, Don Partridge, Allan Maclean, P. Hosking, Prescott Moody, Harry Webster, Bob Collison, Ronald Cruickshank, Douglas Hunter, B. Davis, Hector Goodacre, Douglas Robertson, Vernon Jones, E. Cooper, John Davidson, Gordon Hartley, Blair Dickson and Robin Raymond.

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Hold Surprise Party
The Saanich Liberal-Conservative Association held a very delightful surprise party for Miss Quenneville on Thursday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Spencer, of the Farmers' Exchange, Saanichton. Games and dancing were indulged in until the early hours of the morning. Those present included Hon. T. G. Coventry, M. P. for Saanich, and Mrs. Coventry, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. P. Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. F. Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bates, Mr. F. White, Mr. and Mrs. J. Burns, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tait, Major Hilden, Mr. Lawrie, Mrs. P. Appleby, Mr. R. Duncan, Mrs. F. Appleby, J. C. MacT. Appleby, the Misses P. Appleby, R. Sparks, F. White, and others.

Return to San Francisco
Mrs. Roy Gilchrist, of San Francisco, who has been the guest of Miss Mae Dinadale, 2012 Quadra Street, and Mrs. William Riley, also of San Francisco, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. (Gertrude) Dinadale, 1846 Yale Street, for the past six weeks, leave this morning on the S.S. Ruth Alexander for their respective homes in the South.

Gains Distinction
Miss Eileen de Blaquiere, daughter of Mrs. de Blaquiere, Quadra Street, a native of Victoria who was educated at St. Ann's Convent, and high school, has gained distinction abroad, and has successfully passed at Stanford University School of Nursing. Out of a class of forty she was one of six who merited the staff pin.

Takes New Position
Miss Eileen de Blaquiere, of 919 Vancouver Street, has severed her connection with the Hudson's Bay Company to take up an important position in other parts of British Columbia. Her many friends wish her every success in her new undertaking.

Will Be "At Home"
Mrs. C. G. Dawson, who is leaving for the Old Country on October 19, will be "At Home" to her friends next Wednesday afternoon, from 3 till 6, at the home of Mrs. C. F. Dawson, Cedar Hill Road.

To Attend Wedding
From Cortes Island
Mrs. Gladys Georgeson Ballantine, of Cortes Island, has returned to her home after a motor trip to the Sound cities. While away Mr. and Mrs. William Georgeson, of Granite Street.

To Visit Victoria
Miss Kirkpatrick, of Ottawa, is visiting Mrs. Jean Noble in Vancouver for a few days before coming to Victoria, where she will be the guest of Mrs. W. C. Nichol at Government House.

Return From Seattle
Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Dickson, of Verdier Avenue, Brentwood, have returned to their home after a motor trip to the Sound cities. While away Mr. and Mrs. Theodora attended the fair at Puyallup, Wash.

Return to China
Miss Florence H. Langley, of the Union Normal School, Canton, China, has been spending a few days in the city with Mrs. D. J. Hartley, 1252 Oxford Street. Miss Langley left yesterday for China on the President Madison.

Return to Royston
After spending a week in the city as a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Rhodolice, 1134 Empress Avenue, Mrs. Handley has returned to her home in Royston, B.C.

Return From Camp
Mrs. T. Plimley and Miss Grace Plimley have returned to their home on Douglas Street after spending the summer months at their summer cottage at Cordova Bay.

Return to Victoria
Commander and Mrs. G. P. Clarke, who recently returned to Esquimalt from the East, have taken up their residence at Mrs. Austin's house, 721 Lampon Street.

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On Brief Visit
Mrs. Harry Perry, of Winnipeg, has returned from California, and is spending a few days with Mrs. R. W. Perry before returning to her home in the East.

From Vancouver
Mr. and Mrs. John Hart, of Vancouver, are visitors in Victoria, and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hall, Richardson Street.

Removes Residence
Miss Jessie Eberts, who has been staying with Dr. and Mrs. Hermann Robertson, Olive Drive, has taken up her residence at the Quadra Street Apartments.

Brief Visit
Mr. Robert Hepburn, Mr. Tom Isherwood and Mr. Murray McElin, of Fulford Harbor, were visitors in the city for a few days last week.

Goes to Courtenay
Dr. Tilman Briggs, who was the guest of his mother for the past few days, left yesterday for his home in Courtenay.

Dawson City Visitor
Mrs. T. C. Hubbard, 127 Clarence Street, has as her house guest for the winter her niece, Miss Emma Townsend, of Dawson City, Y.T.

Spends Week-End
Miss Eunice Cearley and Miss Jean Henderson are spending the week-end at their respective homes at Fulford Harbor.

Vancouver Guests
Mrs. H. C. Hall, 1562 Richardson Street, has as her guests for a few days, Mr. and Mrs. John Hart, of Vancouver.

Return Home
After being the house guest of Mrs. A. G. McCandless, of Vancouver, for the past few days, Mrs. J. Gordon Smith has returned to the city.

Seattle Visitor
Mrs. Agnew, of Seattle, Wash., is spending the week-end in Victoria, where she is the guest of Miss Innes Rodwell.

Visits Vancouver
Mrs. David Spencer, of Victoria, is visiting Vancouver, where she is the guest of Mrs. Dean Spencer, West Vancouver.

Goes to Vancouver
Mrs. C. C. Cator, of Victoria, is the guest of Mrs. J. W. Stewart, Vancouver.

From Vancouver
Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hayne, of Vancouver, is a visitor in the city for a few days.

Visitors From Fernie
Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hayne, of Fernie, are visiting Mrs. Herbert Stanton, Newport Avenue, Oak Bay.

Return From Seattle
Mrs. Evans, of the Peninsula, has returned to the city after an enjoyable visit in Seattle.

Return Home
After visiting her mother, Mrs. Johnson, Victoria, Mrs. Robert Wilton has returned to Vancouver.

Visits Vancouver
Mrs. A. B. Stewart, 82 Moss Street, is spending a few days visiting friends in Vancouver.

From Portland
Mr. Cookingham, of Portland, Ore., is spending a few days in Victoria.

SEATTLE ARTIST TO SING AT MUSICAL

Miss Florence Scott Beeler, mezzo-soprano, is featured in the Ladies' Club Programme Wednesday.
In connection with the Ladies' Musical Club October programme, to be given next Wednesday afternoon at the Empress Hotel, special interest attaches to the coming of a visiting singer, Florence Scott Beeler, mezzo-soprano, of Seattle, who has just recently returned from a year's study in Italy. She is much praised by the critics who have invariably acknowledged not only the beauty and artistry of her voice, but also the charm of her stage-presence. She is down to give a series of recitals, and the programme, and other artists who are taking part include Miss Winnie Near, pianist; Miss Jessie Carter, violinist; and Mrs. Frederick Bently who will play the accompaniment.
Following is the programme:
Piano Solo—Hingard's Rhapsody, No. 4 (Last)—Miss Winnie Near.
Songs—(a) Lucia Ch'io Pianto (Handel), (b) Nellie (Reesop), (c) April (Tait), (d) Arise, O Zion, (e) Benediction from "Il Profeta" (Meyerbeer)—Florence Beeler, Mrs. Frederick Bently at the piano.
Violin Solo—Legend (Wieniawski)—Miss Jessie Carter, Miss Morton at the piano.
Piano Solo—Trilby, from "The Magic Lantern" (Benjamin Godard)—Miss Winnie Near.
Songs—(a) Charity (Hagerman), (b) Pirate Dreams (Huerter), (c) In the Silence of Night (Huschninnoff), (d) Lullaby (Huschninnoff), (e) Lullaby (Huschninnoff), (f) Lullaby (Huschninnoff), (g) Lullaby (Huschninnoff), (h) Lullaby (Huschninnoff), (i) Lullaby (Huschninnoff), (j) Lullaby (Huschninnoff), (k) Lullaby (Huschninnoff), (l) Lullaby (Huschninnoff), (m) Lullaby (Huschninnoff), (n) Lullaby (Huschninnoff), (o) Lullaby (Huschninnoff), (p) Lullaby (Huschninnoff), (q) Lullaby (Huschninnoff), (r) Lullaby (Huschninnoff), (s) Lullaby (Huschninnoff), (t) Lullaby (Huschninnoff), (u) Lullaby (Huschninnoff), (v) Lullaby (Huschninnoff), (w) Lullaby (Huschninnoff), (x) Lullaby (Huschninnoff), (y) Lullaby (Huschninnoff), (z) Lullaby (Huschninnoff).
God Save the King.

FRENCH WOMAN WILL OPEN LECTURE COURSE

Mme. Marie de Mare Stein is to Give First of Alliance Francaise Addresses.
What promises to be a very interesting winter's lecture season under the auspices of the Alliance Francaise is to open next Saturday evening with Mme. Marie de Mare Stein's lecture at Victoria College. Mme. de Mare Stein had come out to the Pacific Coast to spend the winter in California, and the Federation Francaise, hearing of this, saw their opportunity to enlist her on the season's programme of speakers for the Pacific area.
A Parisian by birth, Mme. de Mare Stein received her education in France and at the school of Ruchon, Fontainebleau. Among the eminent professors whose courses she subsequently followed at Paris were Charles Higot, Ernest Lavisse, Maurice Albert, Victor Berard. She distinguished herself in various branches of higher education before her marriage. Just before the war she came over to this continent to live, taking up her residence in Denver, Colorado, where in 1915 she organized a branch of the Alliance. In 1918 her husband died, and from that time she has devoted all her energies to the education of her children and the society which she has mothered. Her special affection is for literature and art, and she has been fortunate in having a fam-

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QUEEN ALEXANDRA REVIEW
The annual banquet in commemoration of the birthday of the order will be held Friday, October 17, at 8 o'clock, in the Native Sons' Hall, corner Pandora and Douglas Streets. All members of the W.B.A. and their friends are invited. After the banquet a social dance will be held. Good music and a good time is assured for all.
In twelve months highway accidents claimed a total of 15,000 lives and caused 1,700,000 injuries, according to recent figures published in the United States.

PREMIER TO CONFER WITH PRIME MINISTER

Two Liberal Leaders Will Discuss Problems Relating to Development of Peace River Area.
Among the questions, which it is expected, will be discussed by Premier Oliver and the Canadian Prime Minister, Rt. Hon. Mackenzie King, when the latter arrives in Victoria next Thursday, are those relating to freight rates and plans for the development of the Peace River district, with particular reference to transportation facilities.
Premier Oliver said yesterday, in referring to the latter question, that the conference between representatives of the Federal and Provincial Governments and the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific Railways, which had been set for last August and which was indefinitely delayed, would probably convene immediately following the end of the approaching session of the British Columbia Legislature. Engineers of the Canadian National Railways were publishing data now, he said, to place before the conference in order to assist in reaching a decision to solve the transportation problem.

CHAPTER ARRANGES BRIDGE-MAH JONG PARTY FOR FRIDAY

Arrangements are being made by members of Gonsales Chapter, I. O. D. E., for a bridge-mah jong tea party to be held on Friday afternoon at St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay, in aid of the funds of the room of the new wing of the Jubilee Hospital which the Chapter is furnishing. Additional guests will be welcomed at the tea hour. Those wishing to reserve tables are asked to communicate with Mrs. E. G. Prior, St. Charles Street.

Rev. J. W. Dobbin Dies At Qualicum Beach

NANAIMO, Oct. 11.—The death occurred yesterday afternoon at the family residence, Qualicum Beach, of Rev. John William Dobbin, aged sixty, a native of Broadmill, County Down, Ireland. For the past six years Mr. Dobbin has acted as Presbyterian minister in the Parksville district, where he was well liked and where his loss will be much regretted. Besides his widow, he is survived by two sons, Ian and Colin, and two daughters, Christine and Margaret, residing at home. Funeral arrangements have not yet been announced.

Alexandra Invitation Dances

The first of a series of dances, under select management, will be held at the Alexandra Ballroom, on Friday, October 17th, 1924, from 8:30 to 12.
Invitation cards may be obtained now at Alexandra House, Courtyard Street, or 24 Wick Bldg. Dress informal. Admission 15c, which includes refreshments. RAY KINLOCH & PIERCE ORCHESTRA. Phone 1914

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Agricultural Hall, Saanichton, Will Be Scene of Splendor on Wednesday, October 29

The fifth annual charity ball of the Saanich Police Department will be held on the evening of Wednesday, October 29, in the Agricultural Hall at Saanichton. The event promises to be one of the biggest functions of the season, and the committee that is working on the arrangements gives the assurance that it will be the most successful of its kind yet held.

Professor Fidler's orchestra, has been engaged to provide the music for the dancing, which will commence at 9 p.m. and continue until 2 a.m. The supper arrangements are in the capable hands of the West Saanich Women's Institute, which is a guarantee that the catering will be of the very best.

The Saanich police have held their charity ball for four years, and on each occasion the function has been a most successful one, and a good time was enjoyed by all who attended. The ball has been participated in not only by residents of Saanich municipality but also many living in Victoria and other adjoining municipalities.

The proceeds of the Saanich police ball are devoted entirely to charity, and the function warrants generous patronage as the undertaking is for such a worthy objective. During the past four years the Saanich police, through their annual ball, have raised and expended between \$1,000 and \$1,100 in providing necessities for poor children in the municipality.

Tickets for the ball are now on sale and can be secured from members of the Saanich and Victoria police forces, and also from various stores in the city.

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Cumberland Girl Becomes Bride of Native Son—Visiting Victoria and Will Reside at Nanaimo

A pretty wedding of great interest to the many friends of the contracting parties was celebrated yesterday afternoon at St. Philip's Church, Nanaimo, when the Rev. H. W. S. Holton united in marriage Martha Patricia, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Boyd, of Cumberland, and Jack Harris, fourth son of Capt. and Mrs. C. J. Harris, 804 King's Road, Victoria.

The bride was attended as matron of honor by Mrs. Ines Combs, while Mr. Bert Combs officiated as groomsmen.

Following the service Mr. and Mrs. Harris motored from Nanaimo to Victoria, and are spending their honeymoon with the groom's parents. They will make their future home in Nanaimo.

Mr. Harris, who is at present operating his own stage from Nanaimo to Bowser, was formerly associated with the Tergeon Bros., of this city. Mrs. Harris is a sister of Mr. William Boyd, who will be remembered by football fans as pitcher for Courtenay in the recent series.

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VICTORIA CHILDREN WILL ATTEND BRIDE

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Two of Victoria's beautiful children, Master James Selden Humphreys and little Miss Joan Muriel Humphreys, son and daughter of Major and Mrs. A. S. Humphreys, 3844 Avenue, and grandchildren of Mrs. James Dunsmuir, of Halley Park, will attend Miss Daphne Brougham as train bearer and flower girl at her wedding on October 21, at St. Paul's Church, Vancouver, to Mr. Jocelyn Arthur Hobday. Miss Brougham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Brougham, of Vancouver, will be accompanied by Mrs. Stevenson, as matron of honor, while her bridesmaids will be Miss Dorothea Sweeney, Miss Clara Mallin and Miss Eileen Morton. Miss Brougham has a wide circle of friends in Victoria, where she is a frequent visitor, and has gained many admirers for her ability as a talented amateur actress; she is a gifted singer and a graceful dancer, and during the late war took a prominent part in many of the entertainments staged for the benefit of the Red Cross. Mr. J. Arthur Hobday is the son of Colonel Hobday, now in England, and for several years a resident of Victoria. He will be attended as groomsmen by Major Rooke. A number of friends from Victoria will attend the wedding, including Major and Mrs. Selden Humphreys, Miss Maud Humphreys, Miss Innes Bodwell and Mr. J. Stevenson.

MARGARET JENKINS P.T.A.

The annual meeting of the Margaret Jenkins Parent-Teachers' Association was held in the school on Friday night, October 10, with G. F. Carey in the chair and about forty in attendance. Those present expressed great pleasure in the wonderful improvement in the school grounds, and thanks were expressed to the committee of the P.T.A. and the school board.

After voting a generous amount to Mr. Gee, the school principal, for new cups to stimulate sport, and for pictures for the class and assembly rooms, the financial report showed a

ANGLICAN GENERAL SYNOD

Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, M.A., rector of St. John's Church, Victoria, returned yesterday from the meeting of the General Synod in London, Ontario. It was the tenth session of the Church of England in Canada, the meetings being held from September 24 to October 2. The special preacher at the opening service was Rev. Arthur C. Headlam, Bishop of



MASTER JAMES SELDEN HUMPHREYS

Gloucester, who also gave an address during the synod. Both of his addresses were very much appreciated and the great English divine received a notable ovation from the synod.

All the bishops of the church in Canada were present, with the exception of Archbishop du Vernet of British Columbia, and Bishop Pinkham of Calgary, both of whom were unable through illness, to attend. Some 225 clergy and lay were present, representing the whole church from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

The synod was marked by the fine spirit of unity which was manifest from start to finish, and several remarkable speeches were made. The reports of the General Board of Religious Education, the Social Service Commission and the Missionary Society of the Canadian Church were presented by Rev. Canon Rexford, Rev. Canon Vernon and Rev. Canon Gould, and were replete with inspiring accounts of the manner in which the Anglican Church is facing the great social and educational problems of the present time.

The interesting question of allowing women to serve in the synod was discussed at considerable length, the question being finally decided by the protocol on a point of legal interpretation, that women should not, under the present canon, sit as members of the synod.

The laymen of the church took a large part in the debates, and perhaps one of the most important matters resolved by the synod was that the laymen of the church should organize and assume, far more definitely than they ever have before, the financial and business obligations of the church.

Rev. Mr. Chadwick returns from his Eastern trip much benefited in health, and will preach at both services in St. John's Church today, when the annual Harvest Thanksgiving services will be observed.

IN CHANNEL AIR SERVICE

LONDON.—The largest single-engine passenger-carrying airplane ever built will shortly be put into service between England and the Continent. The air crew will be nearly sixteen feet long and the plane has adjustable wing flaps, which help to reduce the landing speed and add to the safety of the plane. The cruising speed will be about 105 miles an hour, and the plane will carry fourteen passengers.

CONSERVATIVE CLUB

The Women's Progressive Conservative Club held their opening Fall meeting last evening at the Pemberton Building. Mrs. W. Randall presided. There was a good attendance of members. Several matters of business were dealt with; arrangements were also made to hold a social in aid of the Y.W.C.A. Building Fund on Wednesday, October 22, at the Halmoral Hall, Miss Tukey having kindly lent her large drawing-room for the occasion. At 3 o'clock there will be mah jong, bridge and "500." Good prizes will be given. For information re tables, phone 6961 or 1784 Y. Tea guests will be heartily welcomed from 4 o'clock. In the evening, from 8 to 10, there will be a musical programme, character reading and other attractions. The officers and members of the society appeal to the public for their generous support for this most worthy cause.

Several members were welcomed into the club, and two new members, Miss Levenues and Miss Freeman, were proposed and accepted. A standing vote of condolence was taken for the late Mr. Ernest Miller.

The usual weekly "500" and dance will be resumed at an early date, an announcement of which will appear in the press early in the week.

Bandits Rob Jewish Newspaper

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—Three bandits yesterday robbed the office of The Jewish Daily Forward, a newspaper of \$11,358 in cash, which was being made up into a payroll at the cashier's desk. The cashier and telephone operator were covered with pistols while the third robber ransacked the desk. The men escaped in an automobile.

VENERABLE BIRDS PASS

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NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

Soccer Fans Treated To Fine Exhibition In Yesterday's Play

Veterans and Sons Carry on Old Feud of Last Season and Play Is Two-All Draw—Wests and Wards Have Similar Battle, Each Scoring One Goal—Esquimalt Go Moose Hunting and Score Seven Times

TWO very fine hard-fought soccer games, each of which went to a draw, and one game which was a decided contrast, comprised the bill of fare offered local soccer enthusiasts yesterday. The Veterans and the Sons of England soccer eleven, rivals in five drawn games last season, fought for ninety minutes at Beacon Hill to a 2-2 tie in a game that was witnessed by about four hundred spectators. The play, which was of a lively nature, continued for the whole of the game, with the ex-service eleven having a slight edge on their opponents. The Englishmen had plenty of young material on their line-up yesterday, and although they were playing against a much more experienced eleven, they made a good impression with the fans.

A Visiting Player
Connerton, who last year played with the Maanich Thistles Junior eleven, was perhaps the most outstanding player of the younger set, his speed and aggressiveness gaining for him the plaudits of the spectators. In centering the ball he displayed the skill of a veteran. Playing at outside right this young player seemed quite at home, and on more than one occasion he made the Veterans' defence exert themselves to get things clear.

For fully twenty-five minutes the teams in yesterday's soccer game fought in vain for that much sought for goal. Each custodian was tested in turn, but the last line of defence in each case was alert and scoring seemed an unknown thing. The Veterans were the first to find the net when Preston, playing outside right for the ex-service men, booted the pigskin past Hetherington, the Sons' goalie, for the first goal of the game.

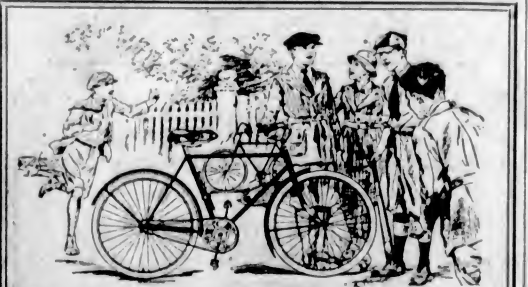
The First Goal
In one of the attacks on the Englishmen's citadel Clarkson crossed the ball from the left, and the opposing goalie, in saving, presented the ball to Preston, who was about four feet from the goal mouth, and this player made no mistake in placing it behind the line. At this stage in the game things livened up, and before many minutes of play had elapsed the score was tied when Smith, inside right for the Sons, beat Bridges with a low header on a pass from Phillips. With the rest period drawing near the Veterans jumped into the lead when Owens shot; the ball, glancing off Shanks, found its way into the net, placing the redshirts one up on the men from the land of the Rose. The sounding of the whistle for half-time came a few minutes later with a 2-1 score in favor of the Veterans.

The Evening
Fifteen minutes remained to be played when Tommy Southern, centre forward for the Englishmen, scored the goal that tied the score, when with a solo rush he sent the ball into the Veterans' goal with a low shot out of reach of the opposing net custodian. During the remainder of the game each team tried hard to register the winning tally, but the whistle sounded for time before this set could be accomplished. Alcock refereed, and the referee was T. Bridgen.

Sons of England—Hetherington; Armistead and Harwood; R. Shanks, Swin and Dryburgh; Connerton, Smith, Southern, Phillips and Richardson.

Veterans—Bridges; Campbell and Cunningham; Roe, Small and Davidson; Preston, Dobbie, Owens, Merryfield and Clarkson.

Wests and Wards
The Victoria Wests and North Wards, ancient soccer rivals, battled for supremacy yesterday noon at Royal Athletic Park in a regular senior league fixture. But at the conclusion of the ninety minutes of play neither side was able to boast of a victory. These two teams, the oldest



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Wanderers Defeat Bays In Feature Rugby Game

Season Gets Away With Good Start—All Games Provide Plenty of Action—Tillicums Win From United Services in Opening Game—Intermediates Have Three Hard Games—All Winning Teams Have Clean Sheets

THE local rugby season got away with flying colors yesterday, when five games were played in the various parks. The threatening weather which prevailed throughout the day did not dampen the spirits of oval ball followers, and all matches were watched by fair crowds. Considering the earliness of the season, the games, throughout the day, although in each case the winning team won without having its line crossed, were hard contested from start to finish.

Bays Surprised
The biggest surprise of the day was furnished by the Wanderers-J.B.A. match at the Willow's oval, when the former came out victorious by a score of 12 to 0. The J.B.A. for four years have had the excellent record of only having once tasted defeat. This happened three years ago, when the Naval College handed the Bays a severe drubbing when the latter was weakened by the epidemic of "flu." The result yesterday came as a big shock to the powerful oarsmen, who claim that they will "wipe the dust" with their opponents at the next meeting.

Out for Biz
The Tillicums showed they were out for business from the start of their game with the Services. From the kick-off the newcomers went out on the offensive and had their opponents with their backs to the wall for some time. Good kicking to boot by Ewell and Russell, however, kept their line intact. Fraser, a new man in senior company, demonstrated that he has the makings of a clever three by his taking of fast passes on the run, clear averaging and speed. Several times this youngster got away with some fine gains, but was pulled down before he could get over.

The First Score
The first score of the game came when Grubb secured the ball on a running pass from Robertson. "Grubby" made a perfect pass to Shaw, who planted the ball safely between the posts. Robertson made some great gains for the Bays by his long kicking to touch, and after relieving with one of his well-placed kicks, sent the Bays on the attack. One of the best dribbles of the game was spilt when Johnnie Johnson got ahead of the ball close to the line when a try was certain and an off-side was given. Bendrodt and Humber tried hard to put the teams on even basis, but they were closely watched and were tackled before they got very far. The whistle found the Bays pressing.

A few minutes after the second half started, Grubb secured the ball from a loose scrum near the Bays' line and passed to Robertson, who went over for the second try. Pemberton failed on the kick for extra points. Shortly after this try Robertson added four more points to his side when he dropped a pretty goal from near the twenty-five line.

This one-sided score aroused the Bays to action and from about half-way through the half they had the ball in the Wanderers' territory. The Wanderers had their best rushes led by Travis and Johnnie Johnson in an effort to cross over, but the defence put up by their opponents proved too strong, turning one of these rushes. Travis was hurt and went off the field. He returned

a few minutes later and finished the game. Humber, the youthful star of the Bays, received a nasty jar before the whistle sounded and received injuries to his shoulder that will likely keep him out of the game for some time.

The Stars
For the Wanderers, Robertson, Parker, Grubb and Colman played great rugby, while Goodacre, Harry Smith, Hendrodt, worked hard for the Bays. Bill Ellis refereed and the teams were as follows:
Oak Bay Wanderers: Gilmer, Carr-Hilton, Adams, Grubb, Shaw, Parker, Robertson, Pemberton, Wootton, Colman, Hardie, Christy, Wilson, DeBoulay, Kerr.

J.B.A.A.— Ross Johnson, Totty, Goodacre, Bendrodt, Humber, MacLean, MacMillan, Travis, Smith, F. Toimie, Bond, John Johnson, Watson, Porteous.

Intermediates
The first intermediate game at Cranmore Road between the Victoria College and United Services went to the college boys by a score of 14-0. The schoolboys had youth and confidence in their favor and were particularly strong in their back division. The Services had mostly inexperienced men on their side and with a few games should be able to give any team a run. Robertson, Parfitt, Winter and Bailey each counted for the college. Diespecker added two when he converted Winter's try. Carl Stewart handled the game and the teams were:

Victoria College: Diespecker, Farish, Willis, McIntyre, Greenwood, Lockie, Robertson, Barclay, Hodson, Parfitt, Hubert, Russell, Fraser, Winter and Knox.

United Services: Robertson, Russell, Barber, Stag, Warren, Parson and Watson, Jordan, Curtis, Kinch, Mason, Taylor, Walker, Barr and Addison.

In the intermediate fixture between the Oak Bay Wanderers and J.B.A.A. the Wanderers took the count of their opponents by a score of 12 to 0. Although the Bays were unable to register any score, they put up a hard fight and plenty of action featured the game. Beck, Grubb, Smith and Wenman each crossed the line for tries, none being converted. C. Stewart handled the game and the teams were as follows:

Oak Bay Wanderers: Goodacre, Grubb, Wenman, H. Smith, Adamson, Wenman and Hoadley, Crease, Olfson, Beck, Boyd, Forbes, Wilson, Harman and Hicks.

J.B.A.A.: Allan, Walk, Peden, Little, Jones, Melachlan and Clarke; Underwood, Russell, Rayson, Prior, Locke, Cruickshank, Connors, Asker and Bull.

Brentwood Wins
The Brentwood College fifteen had an easy time in their game with the Normal School at the University School. The college boys displayed great form and demonstrated that they had been thoroughly schooled in the game, winning by a score of 24 to 0. Playful, Wilson, Farrer, Henderson, Haskamp and Taylor each secured tries for the school. Grant, Hope and Farrer adding extra points by converting. Gordon Campbell handled the game and the line-ups were:

Brentwood College: Morse, Taylor, Henderson, Playfair, Farrer, Grant, Brindley, Wilson, Coleman, Coleman, Eustace, Redpath, Hope, Cree and Haskamp.

Normal School: Huxtable, Dickson, Pritchett, Tervo, Waugh, Routly and Martin; Tredwell, Barry, Gagnon, Laycock, Bagshaw, Wilson, Horne and Martello.

BROOKLYN DODGERS WILL PLAY CEDARS
Major League Ball Team to Show Warms in Vancouver Against Amateur Champions

VANCOUVER, B.C., Oct. 11.—The Brooklyn National League Club will be in Vancouver and play a game against all comers in Athletic Park on Wednesday, October 22, according to word received from Jack Fournier, who is managing the Dodgers' tour.

"I have the assurance of Fournier," said Bob Brown, "that all of the regulars of the club are making the trip, and the amateur baseball officials have assured me that the Hammond Cedars will be permitted to go against the Major Leaguers, by special permission."

The visiting team will include Dazzy Vance, the great pitcher; Cy Young, Burley Grimes and possibly Dutch Reuther.

Jack Fournier is the Frenchman whom Brown said is the manager. He is one of the greatest first sackers in the business. The rest of the infield will be High Mitchell and Stock, all 300 hitters, Brown, Bernie Nola, the old prairie star, and Olson. Fournier hit this year for .350.

The Dodgers are touring the country and are now playing in the East. They will come here from Seattle.

EPINARD IS AGAIN BEATEN AT LATONIA

Sarazen Is Winner of Third Race of International Series—French Horse Interfered With

LATONIA, Ky., Oct. 11.—Smashing all existing Kentucky records for a mile and a quarter, Sarazen, three-year-old chestnut gelding, owned by Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt II, today vanquished Epinard, pride of the French turf, in the final race of the international series before a record-breaking crowd of 50,000 to 60,000 spectators.

Sarazen, ineligible for the previous two international races because he was a gelding, flashed across the wire a length and a half ahead of the gallant French horse in 2:40 4-5. This was within 1-5 of a second of the world's record established by the great Whisk-broom today. Epinard, strangely enough, finished today as he did in his two other American starts, when he finished second to Vice-Counselor and second to Ladlin. While Sarazen's victory was convincing, Epinard was just as wonderful in defeat.

More Interference?
Working his way through interference when Altwood came together with Mad Play, and bumped in the final sixteenth of the race, Epinard came up from fourth place, shot quickly to the outside, flashed ahead of Mad Play and was gaining rapidly on the Vanderbilt gelding in the closing strides.

Mad Play, the entry of Harry P. Sinclair, probably ran the greatest race of his career, finishing on top of Epinard for third place. Altwood finished fourth.

OLD COUNTRY RUGBY

LONDON, Oct. 11.—Play for the Yorkshire Cup, first round, in the Northern Union Rugby League today resulted as follows:

Walsfield 20, Hull 8.
Bramley 5, Dewsbury 8.
Huddersfield 18, Batley 18.
Hull Kingston 25, Halifax 8.
Widnes 7, Hellen 5.
Leeds 24, Castleford 10.
Kelley 13, Bradford 10.
Hunslet 2, York 11.

Play for the Lancashire Cup, first round, resulted as follows:

St. Helen's 10, Wigan 2.
Salford 5, Wigan 18.
Widnes 7, Hellen 5.
Rochdale 8, Swinton 0.

In a league game Oldham defeated Barrow 27 to 6.

AMERICAN FOOTBALL RESULTS

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Sportive Punches

By the "Old 'Un"

People sometimes argue that horseracing cannot be carried on without betting. There is a chance right now in VICTORIA to prove that it can and be made to give some real good sport.

The Old 'Un takes no credit for the following suggestion, he is merely passing it along, and is glad to do so as it seems to him to be a good one.

Just at present there are some sixty or seventy racehorses, he understands, wintering at the Willows. What's the matter with putting on some Wednesday afternoon matinees, and see how they take?

There would, of course, be no fancy purses. Certainly not at the start, but if the races caught on and the gates became bigger, the purses would grow with the gates.

There would be no highly-paid officials and no foreigners brought in to run things for us, but it is expected that some real local sportsmen, who understand the racing game just as well as the next, would give their services for the love of the sport, and the Old 'Un is misinformed, the owners would be only too glad to race, now and again for "feed-bill" stakes.

The originators of the idea see visions of a nucleus of a Jockey Club started this way which might grow into something really big and worth while.

And these visions are maybe much more than the idle imaginings of an over-sanguine mind. Better late than never, horse trainers and owners are realising that for wintering their animals this place is very hard to beat in Canada. AND THAT KNOWLEDGE IS SPEAKING.

The American sport writers are putting up a big howl now the world series baseball is over for a reopening of what they call the "New York scandal case."

We are not particularly interested in their public washing of dirty linen, but one remark strikes us as rather extraordinary. The writer says he is thoroughly disgusted with the game, and adds that he would forsake baseball for golf, only that he was reminded of two leading amateurs who had "forgotten" to count some of their strokes in a championship tournament.

It seems hard to imagine any man playing in a championship tournament who could possibly imagine he could do any such thing. It is not as if men who play in championships take eight or ten to a hole. Three and four are much more common, and boy's a man to drop one off three or four and get away with it? The thing's ridiculous on the face of it.

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And, although the supply of glacial trout in Dublin Lake does not seem to be seriously diminished in spite of much angling, they are each year growing smaller in size.

We'll have to send our own special writer-fisherman over to see if he can't catch some. We'll wager then that the ones he catches won't be small ones and he'll tell the world.

GIANTS AND WHITE SOX START ON TOUR

SWING ROUND INTERNATIONAL CIRCUIT BEGUN

New Yorkers and Chicagoans leave for Montreal for first game today.

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Nanaimo will be represented by Messrs. MacFarlane, Dr. Margeson, Mitchell, Ford, Hindmarch, McIntyre, Coleman, Gaholm, Rucker, Simpson, Cunningham and A. Leighton.

BOWLERS PREPARE FOR BUSY SEASON

Members of the City Bowling League met during the week and the following officers were elected for the coming season:

Honorary president, H. Maynard; honorary vice-president, J. L. Tait;



SCENE: LINCOLN CATHEDRAL.

Fair Yankers: "Say, Pop, wasn't it cute of these English to name this after our old Abe?"

—London Opinion.

president, C. Chislett; vice-president, A. Falk; secretary, J. G. Denholm; treasurer, C. Sheppard.

One appointed representative from each team and the president will form the executive committee.

Prospects for a record season seem very favorable. Entries have already been received from The Colonist, River Spring Brewery, Wilcox Hat Company, Arcades, United Commercial Travelers and the Tillamook.

The Commercial League is well under way, some eight teams having expressed their determination to enter. A meeting of the Commercial League is being held tomorrow at 5:30 p.m., and all interested players are invited to attend.

Tomorrow the Arcades meet the newly formed River Spring Brewery in the first round of the sudden death tournament. On Thursday The Colonist and Wilcox Hat Co. teams clash in the same competition.

Ball Players' Golf Tournament Postponed

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 11.—The professional baseball players' golf championship tournament, which was scheduled to be held during the week of October 21, has been postponed until October 28, to permit Babe Ruth, home run swatter of the New York American League club, to take part.

Other ball players entered in the competition are Bobby Meusel, of the New York Yanks, and Arnold Katz, of the Chicago Cubs.

Burnside Bowling Club Holds Annual Meeting

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Seal Hunting in the South Pacific



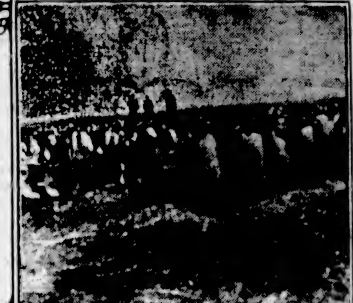
A GROUP OF SEALERS WITH SOME LADY FRIENDS



SPANISH MACKEREL CAUGHT OFF THE RIVER PLATTE



A SHEEP HERDER'S HUT ON THE FALKLAND ISLANDS



PENGUIN BROOKERY ON THE FALKLAND ISLANDS

Victoria's sealing fleet of twenty years ago was manned by men matching in skill and daring any breed of sealers on the seven seas. When Bering Sea began to be depleted of its valuable fur-bearing seals after 1900, the sealers cast about for new hunting fields. Vessels began sailing from Victoria for the South Seas, where they roved from Cape Horn to the Cape of Good Hope, following the migratory movements of the southern seals. At one time as many as eight or ten local schooners were engaged on these twelve-month voyages at the same time. The Balcom family, well known in sealing history here, pioneered in this venture. Captain Spirit Balcom being one of the first to sail south. The Bering Sea troubles were repeated on a smaller scale in the southern seas, one of the Balcom schooners, the Agnes C. Donahue, being seized by Uruguay for sealing off the Uruguayan coast. Another Victoria craft, the Gertrude, was similarly taken two years later in 1906. The owners of both schooners were eventually recompensed for the seizures, which were held to be unjustified.

Old Sealing Skipper Tells How He Fooled Gunboat Warspite

Thirty Years Ago, as Captain Jacobson Recalls, It Was Every Man for Himself in Behring Sea—How Amy, the Klootchman, Was Given Indian Burial After Gruesome Preparations

SIX THOUSAND SKINS THAT YEAR WAS NOT BAD BUSINESS

(OLD SEALING STORIES, BY N. DE B. LUGRIN)
IT'S as true by sea as by land—the captain was talking, sitting by the fire in the little kitchen of the houseboat, while the rain poured musically down on the roof, and through the streaming panes one could see the lights of the moving vessels in the harbor—what one least expects is what most usually happens, and very often when you look for a storm the sky clears and you've got the stars and a sweet wind to sail by. Whoever would have thought for instance, when my boat was seized off the Russian Coast and confiscated and my skins all taken, that that year would have proved a banner one for me. But that's just the way. Tragedy ends in a laugh sometimes, and a laugh ends in tragedy. I've proved it both ways.

On account of so many seizures in the Bering Sea things looked rather blue for a while, but word soon came that the white hunters were making good off the Japanese Coast, and a job, and a good one, was determined. As we had had so much trouble with the Indians, to turn the Mary Ellen into a white hunter. I bought all new sealing boats, and a right after, Christmas I fitted the schooner for the north and put Capt. Hughes in charge of her. Captain Hughes, along with Captain Balcom and some others, had set out two schooners to the Russians, and had been arrested and held for some time, so Captain Hughes was glad of a job, and promised good results. I had a hardworking crew. I secured six white men at \$2.50 a skin, and 50 cents a skin to the boatmen. There was a terribly heavy snow-fall that winter and we had a hard time getting the schooners ready for sea. But at length, during the first part of February, we started out and ran across the Pacific in forty-four days, had a good catch, over two thousand skins, and sent them back from Japan by another schooner. There were no steamers to be depended upon then, on account of the trouble of the previous year, but the sealing schooners would take our stuff home instead of going to the Russian Coast so long as we paid them well.

While Captain Hughes was in charge of the Mary Ellen I fitted out the Minnie for the coast. I went to California first and then refitted for the North. We went straight to Sand Point, in the Shumagin Islands, paid our money to the customs, so that everything was right and proper, and the Americans would not molest us on our way back from the Russian rookeries. Just as I was ready to start I had a letter from home saying that my wife was very ill, so I put my skins on board, the Rorals, left the Minnie in charge of the mate, Captain Morehouse, and gave orders for him to leave at once for Russia.

Minnie Is Seized

Now, during that Spring the British had made an arrangement with the Russians allowing the latter a 10-

boat. They said they would take her to Westminister and sell her there. Of course they could not. But I had to go before Judge Heggie. He told me that the court expenses were much more than \$450, and \$1,500 would about cover it, he thought. So I gave my cheque for that amount. If I had only known enough to have taken that good news more quietly I probably would not have had to pay that much. My good spirits cost me \$550.

Nobody will ever know what we sealing captains used to suffer in those days from our ignorance of actual international arrangements and our consequent dread of the men-of-war. When we were up in the Bering Sea or off the Russian coast we scarcely dared to sleep for fear of being surprised, and when we did sleep it was probably to have some horrible nightmare of being boarded by naval officers and having our papers seized. And yet it was a wonderful venture, the seal hunting, the excitement of it, the danger and the fortune awaiting the lucky ones. It was worth all the anxiety. Time and again I used to think of chucking the whole business and settling down to my good trade of shipbuilding, that I had learned at Helsingfors, and that I knew inside out. I could have made plenty of money, far more, in the long run, than I made at sealing. But when the Spring came in, and the fresh sweet winds, and I thought of the thing, the quick voyage north under full sails, the lowering of the boats, the big catches, the gay times at the ports—Ah, well, when one is young! It's the adventure that counts, the daring and the hazard.

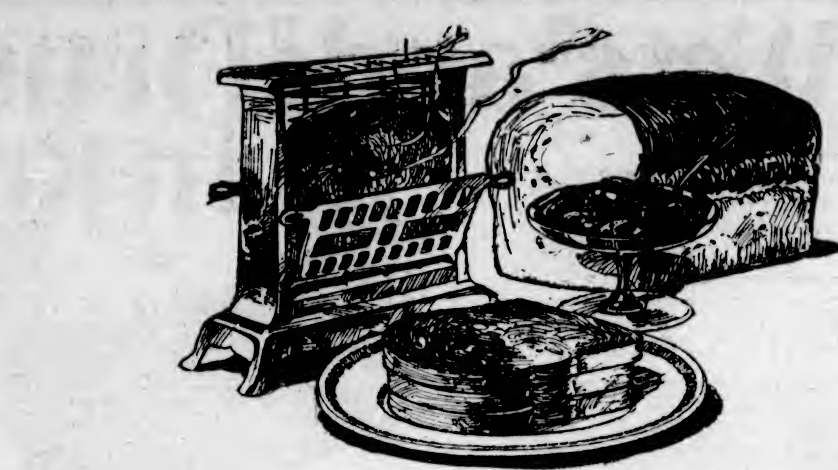
Off for the Grounds
I had to make new spars for the Minnie, and I was not ready for sea until the middle of April. This was in 1914. I lost no time, picked up my Indian crew and made straight for St. Elias and the Fairweather grounds. I had heard rumors of a new arrangement that the Coast was to be open from May 1 for three months, and that the Bering Sea would be open from August 1. Only spars were to be used. No guns of any kind, and a fifty-mile limit around the Pribilof Islands.

On May 6 I lowered my boats, and hardly had they got away from the schooner when a British man-of-war hove in sight. The first schooner boarded was the Ida Retta, from Seattle. Lucky for her she had not yet put her boats out, and was not seized. There were seven of us sealers there in a group together. The Triumph had her boats out and was seized, so was the Favourite.

Now the mate on the Ida Ellen had been with me on the Mary Ellen the year before, so he wanted to do me a good turn. He told the captain to go and warn me and I would be good for a keg of rum. All this time the H.M.S. Warspite was busy, but she hadn't reached me yet. And a sou'wester sprang up about noon. I had hoisted the flag as the signal for my boats to return as soon as I saw the warship, and they were coming back as fast as they could make. The Ida Retta came up alongside just as I was getting our canoes aboard. They warned me, but I already knew about it. However, they got their rum, I slung it over in a powder keg, and told them to make off and tell the other schooners.

Warspite Makes Chase

Then I set sail. But the Warspite saw me, and was hot after me. She signalled me to stop. I went straight to me. She fired her guns. But the wind freshened up, and filled my sails, and I took a chance. I went straight on. Then night came down. So I went away and got clear. I didn't have any skins at the time, but I went inland and sealed for sixteen more days. It was fine weather, and there were plenty of seals. On May 23, dead calm and all my boats out, a



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Tankee gunboat dropped down on me. I signalled for the Indians to come in, but it was beautiful sealing weather, and they were in no hurry. However, the Americans merely overhauled my skins and let me alone.

When I got back to Victoria that time, with a fine load of skins, I heard that the commander of the Warspite had ordered Mr. Milne to have the Minnie seized for running away from him. But, "No," says Mr. Milne, "if the captain of a British gunboat lets a little sealing schooner get away from him, I think she deserves her freedom."

And after all, when the report was sent to the Government that the Americans had not seized the ships for having their boats out, the British Admiralty released all the schooners they had seized.
I refitted for Bering Sea and left in time to be there the opening day for sealing, the first of August. On this trip I took along the wife of one of the Indian hunters as a cook for the Indian crew. She was a great, big, strapping klootchman, between 25 or 30 years old. About half-way across Bering Sea a strong wind came up and we shipped a lot of water on deck. Amy, the klootchman, was paddling around, however, in her bare feet, and ordinarily it would have had no effect upon her. But she could not have been well, although I knew nothing about it, for the next morning, just after breakfast, her husband came to me and told me his wife was very sick, very bad cold. We fixed her up some hot rum and got

her to bed, and I went down to my medicine chest to get some other stuff for her. While I was busy there, another man came running.
"Captain, Captain, Amy's gone die."

A Death at Sea
I ran after him, and found the Indian woman lying dead at the foot of the companionway. She had got out of bed and tried to come on deck, delirious maybe, and her heart had given out. Not one of the Indians could touch her. There she lay, and such a frightful din of screaming and moaning the crew set up, I never heard before. My brother-in-law was with me on the trip. Between us we got her back to a bunk. And then we were in a dilemma. The Indian crew wanted to go home at once. Amy's death had been a very bad sign. And if we carried her away along with us, we were in the middle of the ocean. The weather was warm. There was only one thing to do, and that was to cut the body up and salt it. Then we could get rid of it. This unpleasant task fell on me as captain. Not an Indian would touch the body. In spite of a good strong dose of whisky, I turned sick before I began the job, and my brother-in-law had to do it for me. She was a fine, beautiful woman, too. But we had to cut her in small pieces and pack the body in plenty of salt. Then we sewed it up in a canvas sack. And when we had time we made her a coffin. As soon as we reached land I was to take her ashore and bury her, and then pick her up again on the way home, to be interred on her native heath.

The first land we struck was Unalakpaak. It was a fine, calm morning, and we anchored in a little stream, one of the many that run down on the coast around there, to meet the sea. My brother-in-law and I put out in a small boat to see if we could make a landing. The ground was rough and full of ridges, and ran up to a big knoll. Just as we neared shore we saw coming quickly and lumbering down toward us two enormous grizzly bears. We had no weapons with us, and as it was against the law to carry guns, we only had spears and axes on board ship. I was anxious to go as close to the bears as we could, but they saved me the trouble. They waded right out into the water to meet us. So we backed up, and returned to the ship for a couple of axes.

The Burial of Amy

All hands joined us when we went back to the land, and at first the bears retreated to the top of the knoll. So my brother-in-law, growing bold, said that he would take an axe and go after them himself, and he started. He had not gone far when the bears caught sight of him, and

left their lofty perch to hurry down. They were larger bears than any I have ever met, but they could run very fast for all that, though they could not match my brother-in-law. He flew over the ground, flinging down his broadaxe as he came. Nor did he stop till he was safely in the boat. No one dared to try his hand after that, and although I was quite willing to wait until the animals had gone, so that we could get rid of Amy's body, the Indians would not listen to such a proposal. They were thoroughly convinced that the bears had been sent as a warning that we were not to bury the Indian woman there. You might as well try and reason with a fish as with an Indian. What he believes, he believes and you can't change him. So we had to carry the coffin back to the schooner.

I had stayed there the whole night in hopes of getting rid of Amy. But I had to set sail the next morning and put in at another island. Here there were no bears to interfere with us, and we had the burial. When we returned for the body on our way home, we nearly lost all of our small boats and their crews. Every one of us landed to disinter the coffin, and a terrible gale of wind sprang up, so that the canoes were upset and the Indians thrown in the sea. Half of the small boats were broken up, and we spent hours getting the half-drowned survivors out of the water. When we reached Sitka-nat the sea was running so high we could not make a landing there to bury Amy, and at Clo-osee it was just the same. So we had to bring her all the way down to Victoria. And then, in spite of their solicitude for her, the Indian crew all got drunk and left Amy's funeral arrangements to me. The only bear I had to stand off this time was the undertaker. He charged me \$100. But Amy's husband repaid me when he was sober.

Six Thousand Skins

No, Amy was not a hoodoo, either. In spite of her, my trip was a success. When we got to Bering Sea we found that one of the American men of war had gone ashore on Paul Island. She had to fire her guns for assistance, and as a consequence all the seals in the rookeries were scared away. In about ten days I took more than one thousand seals, and in less than six weeks I left Bering Sea with over two thousand, and all caught with the spears only.

That Fall the Mary Ellen, off the coast of Japan, returned with three thousand, so I had close on six thousand. I should have cleared between \$40,000 and \$50,000. But I thought I would do better shipping to the London market. And it turned out that the price dropped, so I didn't make

so much. But I didn't do too badly, not too badly.

The Mary Ellen did mighty good work off the Japanese coast. The year before, when I thought I was in such bad luck over the seizure of the Minnie, my other schooner came down with a full load of skins, and I made a handsome profit. And that's how it used to go in those days.

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High Blood Pressure Epidemic Among Local Prophets Who Are Trying to Figure Outcome of Coming Plebiscite—The Results of Previous Votes on Liquor Questions and Elections Add to Worries

A lot of hectic oratory, yards of statistics, tons of printed appeals to the electorate, and hundreds of verses of more or less merit, will be spilled promiscuously in Ontario between now and October 23.

On that day Ontarians decide whether they stay "dry" or become "wet" alcoholicly speaking, and to what height or depth. The history of the province is strewn with prior decisions, by referendum or plebiscite. Their results will be very useful for purposes of comparison—after the October vote. At this moment the naive prophets are as near to satisfying themselves as to the prospective correctness of their prognostications as was the professor whose life's ambition was to draw a straight line devoid of ends.

That it will be a hard fought, battle is admitted by both the Provincial Prohibition Committee and the Moderation League alike. The swing of the pendulum in the Western provinces heartens the "Moderationists." They believe that Ontario has undergone a change of heart, and will align itself with British Columbia, Saskatchewan, Alberta and Manitoba on the one hand and Quebec on the other. The Prohibitionists are equally confident that the unbroken succession of Ontario's favorable votes for every measure of temperance reform or prohibition, will be maintained. Each side is organizing and working unceasingly, and both believe that given a fine day the vote will be a very heavy one. Both are also agreed that whatever else happens, the "open bar" must not come back.

The present liquor laws of the province are the results of evolution. Back in 1793, some kind of constructive orderliness began to appear in the regulations respecting liquor in "Upper Canada." By 1820 a time honored friend, "the burden of taxation," in the guise of increased licence fees, was devolved into a lusty infant in 1824 shopkeepers selling spirituous liquors by wholesale were required to take out licences and pay five pounds—twenty-five dollars—a year for same! Some people regarded this impost as a very dark shadow

over the outlook for the future of what is now the Province of Ontario. Others thought it a very reasonable tax, and figured that the "colony" would reap handsome financial rewards.

Sir Conan Doyle might gather from some of his friends of the spirit world their comparative views of the days when the whisky barrel was the family cure-all, and the state of aridness that has legally prevailed in Ontario since 7 o'clock of Saturday evening, September 16, 1916. In that hour actual provincial prohibition became effective in accordance with the Ontario Temperance Act, adopted by the Legislature as a war measure. The Government retained the right to sell liquor for necessary purposes—chiefly medicinal—and a clause of the bill provided for a vote of the electorate to be taken after normal conditions were restored. The then Premier, Sir William Hearst, initiated the measure, though the Conservative party which he led, was not the traditional prohibition party of Ontario. The Liberals had long had a prohibition plank in their platform.

The 1916 Plebiscite
In song and story, in fact and fiction, the uncertainties surrounding horse races and elections have been mirrored in a thousand guises, grave and gay. On October 20, 1916, the Government that gave Ontario its first prohibition act suffered a disastrous defeat, being succeeded by the United Farmer-Labor combination which subsequently chose Ernest C. Drury as Premier. On the same day a plebiscite taken on the Ontario Temperance Act, "the O.T.A.," as it is familiarly called in the province, was overwhelmingly in favor of it.

The form of the 1916 plebiscite and the result of the voting thereon were as follows:
1—Are you in favor of the repeal of the Ontario Temperance Act?—Yes, 354,486; no, 755,923; dry majority, 401,437.
2—Are you in favor of the sale of light beer containing not more than two and fifty-one one-hundredths per cent alcohol weight measure through Government agencies and amendments to the Ontario Temperance Act to permit such sale?—Yes, 401,437; no, 755,923; dry majority, 354,486.

Government agencies and amendments to the Ontario Temperance Act to permit such sale?—Yes, 401,437; no, 755,923; dry majority, 354,486.
3—Are you in favor of the sale of light beer containing not more than two and fifty-one one-hundredths per cent alcohol weight measure in standard hotels in local municipalities that by a majority vote favor such sale and amendments to the Ontario Temperance Act to permit such sale?—Yes, 401,437; no, 755,923; dry majority, 354,486.

4—Are you in favor of the sale of spirituous and malt liquors through Government agencies and amendments to the Ontario Temperance Act to permit such sale?—Yes, 401,437; no, 755,923; dry majority, 354,486.
Analysing the figures of the 1916 vote with the idea of being able to predict with some accuracy the result of the approaching vote is responsible for the present epidemic of high blood pressure throughout Ontario. An added irritant to the perplexities of the would-be prophets is the fact that the United Farmers, who favored prohibition in the 1916 campaign, and whose claim was that they made a sincere effort to enforce it, were out of office by the Conservatives in the general elections of June, 1923. In the course of that campaign the Ontario Temperance Act and the methods of enforcement

played a major role; perhaps neither of them were entitled to have the spotlight upon them so steadily. Incidentally in April, 1921, when a vote was taken on the importation of liquor into the province, the result was for importation 373,938, against 540,773. Majority against importation, 166,835.

Local Option Period
Then, too, prior to 1916, Ontario had made remarkable progress in Local Option, which from 1904 onward required a three-fifths vote for carriage or repeal. In 1905 only 187 out of 794 municipalities were dry by local option; in 1916 when the Municipalities had increased to 451, the "dry" municipalities had grown to 573, with 89 giving majorities for Local Option, but failing to carry it under the law requiring that it must be supported by three-fifths of all the votes cast.

Only seventy repeal contests out of a possible 1,330 opportunities for the same, were brought on in the last six years of the Local Option period, and of these only one was successful. G. Howard Ferguson, as leader of the Conservative party in the last campaign, promised "that in the event of his being called upon to govern the province, and if public opinion demanded it, another opportunity would be given the electorate to express their views on the Ontario

Temperance Act." Having become Premier he is giving the electorate that opportunity by an act passed at the last session of the Legislature authorizing the taking of a plebiscite at a date to be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.

There are varying views as to the propriety of such a measure, and the taking of a vote at this time; it depends upon which camp, "wet" or "dry," is airing them. Meanwhile it is to be noted that for a "dry" province Ontario has made money in the handling of liquor for "permitted purposes." The Christmas period is a particularly busy time for the dispensaries, the number of doctor's prescriptions indicating increases in prescriptions for the municipal health departments if they were recorded at any other time of the year.

Other Provincial Votes
The prohibition battle has of late

years been confined to provincial arenas.

Ontario is to vote again on October 23.

Manitoba voted dry on March 13, 1916, with 50,484 voting for and 26,502 against. On June 22, 1923, Manitoba voted wet by some 40,000 majority.
Alberta gave a dry vote of 58,295 against 37,209, July 21, 1915—and voted wet by a big majority November 5, 1923.
British Columbia went dry September 14, 1916. The results were delayed until the soldier vote was counted, and were finally given as for 42,784, against 38,845. On October 20, 1920, the province went wet 75,964 to 49,225.
Saskatchewan, on December 30, 1916, voted out the dispensary system by a vote of 55,249 against 22,516, but voted against prohibition by a big majority on July 18 this year.
Quebec in April, 1919, voted 178,

112 in favor of the sale of beer and light wines, and 48,413 against. Other liquors are also sold under the Government commission system.

New Brunswick has been dry since May, 1917, and Nova Scotia since 1910, and Prince Edward Island since 1916.

This summary classes as "wet" any province where the sale of intoxicants is by dispensaries, licence, or any other system, and "dry" where liquor is legally sold only for medicinal purposes.

The Dominion Plebiscite
Those who follow the fluctuations of the prohibition battles in this country will recall that in addition to the various provincial referendums and plebiscites, there was a Dominion plebiscite vote on September 23, 1918. The question then submitted was:

"Are you in favor of passing an act prohibiting the importation, manufacture, or sale of spirits, wine, cider and all other alcoholic liquors for use as a beverage?"

There was a total vote polled of 549,029 out of a possible 1,233,627, and a majority for prohibition of 13,687. Quebec was the only province recording a negative vote, the details by provinces being:
Ontario—For, 154,498; against, 116,284; majority for, 38,214.
Quebec—For, 28,426; against, 127,760; majority against, 99,334.
Nova Scotia—For, 34,678; against, 5,870; majority for, 28,808.
New Brunswick—For, 26,819; against, 9,575; majority for, 17,244.
Prince Edward Island—For, 9,441; against, 1,146; majority for, 8,295.
Manitoba—For, 12,419; against, 2,978; majority for, 9,441.
British Columbia—For, 5,781; against, 4,756; majority for, 925.
Northwest Territory—For, 6,238; against, 3,824; majority for, 2,414.
Totals—For, 278,380; against, 264,649; net majority for prohibition, 13,687.

The Dominion Government at that time decided that the vote must be taken as a whole, and that the majority was not emphatic enough to warrant prohibition legislation, which needed to have strong public support to assure enforcement.

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Beekkeeping Notes

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All colonies will now be in shape and still building up for successful wintering. Weak colonies have been—or should have been—united and an accurate idea have been formed as to sufficiency of suitable stores. All colonies should fill at least eight frames with honey.

A full-size, although a seven or even a six-frame one will, no doubt, come safely through, as there is still quite a lot of brood rearing in view. The stores are an important item, not only the quantity but also the quality.

A great deal of Fall honey is very often unfit for bees to winter on, owing to fruit juice, honeydew, or other unwholesome food, and a good plan is to take out a few frames of late honey, putting in its place any frames saved from summer honey flow, or, failing that, feed a good sugar syrup, two parts sugar to one part water.

Feed this in the evening, warm, after bees have stopped flying, and place directly over cluster. The bees will quickly take this down, and there should be no robbing if care is taken not to spill any around the apiary. Any frames of late honey taken out of hive may be used to good advantage the following Spring for brood rearing.

A great deal of honey this year is granulating early, and the public has still to be educated to the fact that this is a sure sign of purity, though at the same time it does not mean that honey which does not granulate is impure in any way. Some beekeepers heat their honey before bottling to 140 degrees, which, as a rule, retards granulation, but others contend it loses its delicate flavor by so doing. Certainly it loses both flavor and color if heated at too high a temperature, and care should be taken not to do this. Honey does not look very

attractive during the process of granulation, but it is surprising how few people know what a simple matter it is to convert it again to sparkling liquid honey. Many people who have long been accustomed to eating honey prefer it in its granulated state, and contend it is much easier to handle at table, especially with children.

There come reports from all parts of the unusual epidemic of swarming this year in early June, from the States as well as in B.C., and in many cases where the bees are in the colonies whatever—bees not in want of room by a long way, and also where there were young queens. However, where this was satisfactorily handled, the colonies gave a very good account of themselves, and many fresh enthusiasts have been enrolled in the Vancouver Island Beekkeepers' Association.

One new member in the wet belt, Prince Rupert, caught the beekkeeping fever badly and decided to try his hand at one colony. "To satisfy curiosity as to whether they could exist under local conditions." He bought his colony last Autumn, and his account of the way he handled them, showing up-to-date knowledge which he had gained by reading every book he could find on the subject, is most interesting reading, and in what a beginner can do when he applies thought and intelligence to the subject. With the help of a 2-lb. package of bees, his total result for the year was 200 lbs. of honey and two strong colonies. Many of his friends and neighbors have expressed a desire that he should start himself next Spring. One foresees a busy time in store for this beekkeeper.

Another member up in Alert Bay found his colony queenless in the very early Spring (early February) and sent down for another queen. As he was the only beekkeeper in the district for a considerable distance, and only possessed the one colony, he depended on the acceptance of this new queen so early in the year. A young queen was immediately posted from California, and in a fortnight a time was found to be trying well. The last report was an extra colony and a good surplus of honey. Fortunately, all the beginners who have sent in reports so far have been successful, and are looking eagerly towards next season already.

Another beginner started with three 2-lb. packages in new hives on new foundation. One queen was lost and she started the season with two colonies. In July she had seven or eight hives of bees and a 40-lb surplus of honey. Since then she has wisely doubled up to three hives, but if casts had been returned to parent hives in the first place the surplus would have been considerably more.

Running everything up, it is found that those beginners who depend on any personal information they can gather are not nearly so successful as those who study the Government bulletins, and, above all, own a good book on beekkeeping for beginners, such as Dadant's "First Lessons in Beekkeeping." They have then the solution of any immediate difficulty right at hand, and that is the only solution worth having—immediate action right at the correct time.

The annual meeting of the association will be held on Wednesday, November 5, at a time and place to be arranged. Any particulars may be had from the secretary, Mrs. F. A. Greenwood, R. M. D. 2, Victoria. Any members joining after September 30 are in good standing until December 31, 1925.

SANTA ANA, Cal., Oct. 11.—A United States geodetic survey party is engaged in a survey to determine what earth movements have transpired in the past two decades along the 18-mile route extending from Santa Ana to Harlow, north of here, on the Mohave desert. The precise, or sea elevations, are being established by the last survey. In 1904, Comparisons will determine whether changes have taken place as a result of earthquakes or other disturbances.

JAMES BAY PASTOR IS OVERSEAS MAN

Rev. E. L. Best, to Occupy Methodist Church Pulpit for First Time Today, Has Fine Record

Rev. E. L. Best, B.A., the new pastor of the James Bay Methodist Church, is a native of Cornwall, Eng., an overseas man, and graduate of the U.E.C. After his ordination in 1918 he became pastor of the church in West Vancouver. Under his leadership it became a Union Church. Mr. Best's next appointment was at Salmon Arm. At the close of his pastorate last June he went on a visit to

the Old Country, being the only British Columbia delegate who attended the International Sunday School convention held this Summer in Glasgow.

Mr. Best comes from an English county which is regarded as one of the Celtic fringes; Cornwall has a splendid preaching tradition, and Mr. Best is first and foremost an expostory preacher, sensitive to all the movements of the time in the realm of thought and social reconstruction, his great appeal is to the individual.

Why his pulpiters hear the mark of careful preparation, the preacher's use of imagery enables him to reinvest with life and character in the ancient families records. As a public man Mr. Best is candid, fearless and direct. In private life he is a charming personality, with a

perennial fund of humor and good fellowship. The conference of 1924 sent him to James Bay, feeling that he possesses the human touch to which Victoria responds so readily. He is essentially a minister who wears well, even those who listen regularly being surprised with the range of his pulpit and prayer service themes. Yet there is no new gospel; the mystic spell of the Cross binds the preacher, and seals the message.

Free Block of Ice Found Buried in Earth

RENO, Nev., Oct. 11.—A "free" block of ice, in the form of a huge solid block of ice buried twelve feet underground, measuring sixty feet in length, twenty feet in width

and ten feet in thickness, was uncovered recently by a steam shovel, while working on the new Truckee River highway. The workers, after making numerous attempts to go around the ice, finally were forced to blast their way through it with high explosives. It is believed that originally the ice, which is estimated to be about forty years old, was a field of snow on the mountain side above and was compressed into its present form by an avalanche of earth, rocks and trees.

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Why Do You Like to Read About Crime?

And Why Are Barbarous Robberies and Ruthless Murders More Prevalent in the United States Than in England?

The Reason Certain Cases Excite Interest and Kindle the Senses While Others Leave One Cold—The Process of "Reading a Novel Backward."

By E. PHILLIPS OPPENHEIM

Editor's Note.—If any individual, here or abroad, is qualified to answer the question which forms the subject of this article, it should be E. Phillips Oppenheim. A profound student of crime, from the age of ten he has been reading about it. He has written the best known writer in the English language in his own particular field. He has held the attention of millions of readers in his own country and abroad. He should be exceptionally conversant, therefore, with the factors which cause the crime novel to be so widely and widely read.

The study of crime is my business. A correct analysis of the motive behind any possible deed of violence, an analysis gauging its strength and its breaking point, must be one of the equipments of the sensational novelist. Your stories won't ring true unless they might have happened.

For that reason, I am interested professionally only in the crime—the murder or the robbery with violence—that could happen to or that could be committed by the average person under a given set of circumstances. The arch-murderer on the rampage leaves me cold. The crime which provides me with food for study is the crime which potentially or vicariously concerns a bank manager and his family in Liverpool, a retired schoolmaster at Brighton, the hard-working young proprietor of a garage just off the Grand Concourse in the Bronx, and a High School senior in Vancouver, or a clerk in the Santa Fe Railroad offices in Kansas City.

Plausibility is what I want and to attain that I need for my characters, however amazing their subsequent adventures may be, men or women whom one might meet at any hour of the day. It is only when the reader actually feels that he himself might have been in the place of one of the principal characters that you are sure of his attention.

What kindles the Senses Precisely the same reasoning holds good as regards the interest or lack of interest of the public in any great murder trial today. The newspaper reader declines to be very much interested in the knifing of half a dozen coolies by one another, nor is he very much concerned when two professional gunmen shoot one another to death in the back room of a low dive. Those people do not come within the day-to-day sphere of our interests. But when a business or professional man in our walk of life enters the offices of a broker and shoots him to death, or a man in a musical hall of which we ourselves are patrons and shoots another man because he is there with his wife, then the thing comes home to us.

Our interest is excited and our senses are kindled, for the simple reason that, victim or perpetrator, the thing might have happened to us. This is the inner meaning of plausibility, to the understanding of which you can only attain by an intensive study of human nature under varying conditions. If you write about crime, you must be able to trace the mental process which led up to it.

The fascination of such a study grows as also do its dangers. In any modern criminal case—may a murder trial—the student is compelled to start at the wrong end. He has to start with the climax, namely, the murder itself, and go backwards through a mass of attendant circumstances to the fully developed motive, thence to its inception and finally to the primary idea. An interesting study in a way, but rather like reading a novel backwards. The psychologist may gain something, but not the story writer.

The Study of the Individual The real enticement of the game for the latter comes in when you can

The Common Human Denominator

"The real enticement of the story writer comes in when you can fix upon a man or a woman whom you know, draw around him a web of circumstance, and decide from a close and eager study of his character and tendencies exactly the amount of aggravation or temptation which will lead him to commit any given crime."

"Human nature, notwithstanding its variations, is reduced to a common denominator with amazing facility. Given a close enough study of the individual, it is possible to make almost an exact calculation of his attitude toward the commission of any certain crime under any given chain of circumstances."

Eastern European countries, many of them newly arrived in your country, makes for a larger percentage of crime.

Bill Sykes and Abraham Rodd

A stranger who has not yet settled down into his surroundings, who has not the goodwill of friends, and a social position, however humble, is far more likely to yield to the impulse of committing an illegal action than a person leading a settled life among friends and neighbors whose good opinion must unconsciously influence him. It is generally the alien and the wanderer who braves the penalties of the law, rather than the householder and taxpayer, even when the element of character does not present itself.

But this habitual criminal, this person who commits crime as a matter of course, is not the alien and the wanderer, is of very little practical use to the novelist. No one wants to read about him and he makes no general appeal. The works of Dickens would have been just as readable without Bill Sykes, and the

vivid gifts of Eugene Sue might have been far better employed than in presenting a series of powerful but horrible pictures of the mechanical puppets of sin. The novelist in his eager probing of life in search of material is attracted wholly and entirely by the second class of criminal, namely, the man or woman who commits an offence against society through lack of restraint. This is the man worth talking about, worth studying, worth analyzing.

Abraham Rodd was a very simple example of this class. He hadn't a criminal instinct in his nature. He was without the slightest predisposition towards crime. He loved his wife and children, he loved his fellow human beings, he loved godly living. Yet Abraham Rodd committed the greatest crime in the catalogue of crimes through lack of restraint, and suffered the extreme penalty. He was the victim of a code which exists for the benefit of the majority and from which the minority must suffer. He perpetrated what he considered, and what undoubtedly was, an act of justice. Unfortunately for him the law says that a civilized country can only continue to exist as such if the law alone metes out punishment and the individual bares his back to the stripes.

An Unassailable Argument

Logical, all this, no doubt, but the worst of it is that our subconscious sense of justice may sometimes lead us to take the law into our own hands only to find that law and justice, for the benefit of the community perhaps, do not run on parallel lines. You kill me because I have seduced your wife—murder. I kill you because I desire your wife—murder. Thirty years ago we should have certainly both been hung. Although I should have deserved it and you wouldn't. Today, although you would probably escape with penal servitude, the distinction between our crimes is not legally recognized. In its way, however, the argument



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English Novelist, Famous for Tales of Sensation and Mystery and of International Intrigue. Whose Works Include "The Avenger," "The Mysterious Mr. Sabin," "A Daughter of Astrea," "Mr. Grex of Monte Carlo," "The Double Traitor," "Jacob's Ladder," "The Profiters," "The Evil Shepherd," "Michael's Evil Deeds," and "The Great Impersonation."

of the law-makers is unassailable. A community must be governed by standardized statutes and not by the standard of a variable human intelligence, subject at all times to variation of influence. The moment that the registered penalties for crime were removed or made more elastic and punishment was admin-

istered from a human sense of justice only, whether by judge or jury, the moral state of the community might perhaps show no signs of deterioration, but the perpetration of crime would without a doubt increase in every direction. Fixed laws are the only practical deterrent. Abraham Rodd, always the proto-

Circumstances and the Average Person

"I am interested professionally only in the crime—the murder or the robbery with violence—that could happen to or that could be committed by almost any average person under a given set of circumstances. . . . a bank manager and his family in Liverpool, a retired schoolmaster at Brighton, the hard-working young proprietor of a garage just off the Grand Concourse in the Bronx, and a High School senior in Vancouver, or a clerk in the Santa Fe Railroad offices in Kansas City."

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type in my mind of the innocent criminal, must suffer that the community may gain in freedom and security.

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Pile-Driving Device

A new method of submarine pile driving has recently been developed which is a radical departure from older practice. The hammer employed is so arranged that compressed air at low pressure is supplied to a bottom cylinder by means of an air hose connected at the hand-hole cover. Either steam or compressed air may be used for motive power, and the exhaust from the pile hammer is carried to the surface through a hose. The bottom cylinder, into which the compressed air is introduced, is not intended to be water-tight. It is supposed to function on the principle of the diving bell—that is, the water is kept out of it by the counter pressure of the compressed air. As this new type of hammer uses piles cut to size, it makes it possible to drive them to exact grade, and thus obviates the work of sawing off any excess length under water.—Comp. Air Mag.

THE BUILDING OF THE DOMINION



Before the Canadian Pacific

THINK of a Canada without Vancouver and Victoria! Without Winnipeg! Without the wonderful cities of the plains! Think of a Canada ending at Lake Huron; its commercial arm reaching feebly by steamer to the head of the lakes; the fertility of its plains growing fodder for buffaloes; its trade with the mighty West a traffic in beavers' pelts.

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New Style Flannel Dresses, most practical for Fall or Winter wear. They are attractive in appearance, and shown in color combinations suitable for misses or matrons; broadcloth finish flannel, including shades of rose, scarlet, garnet, tango, henna, coffee, fawn, reindeer and nigger brown, many different shades of grey, powder, peacock, navy blue, paddy and jade green. Sizes 16 to 44. On sale at **\$6.50 to \$15.95**
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Women's Tailored Top Vests, slip-over style. This makes a strong finish and good wearing; with short or no sleeves. Sizes 36 to 44. At each **\$1.25 and \$1.50**

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—Underwear, 1st Floor

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Wear

Girls' White Flannelette Pyjamas in 2-piece style, with garters at each side and all round belt, giving plenty of fullness; neck and sleeves trimmed with dainty narrow lace. Pants made with elastic at waist and gathered at ankle. Finished with lace to match coat. Sizes for 8 to 15 years. Anniversary Sale **\$1.90**

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Colored Striped Flannelette Pyjamas in 2-piece style; coat fastened in front with four buttons and trimmed with silk frogs. Pants made with drawstring at waist. Shown in pink and white stripes. Sizes for 8 to 15 years. Anniversary Sale **\$1.85**
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Medallion Corset of good weight pink coutil; two medallions in front that hold the abdomen down without all that heavy boning; low bust, long skirt, insets of elastic in skirt, graduated front steel, boned with wondabolin. Priced at **\$7.50**
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—Corsets, 1st Floor

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54-Inch Fancy Tweed, in nice heavy weight for dresses, skirts or suits; in good useful colorings. Regular value \$2.98, for a yard **\$1.95**

54-Inch Woolen Coating, a wonderful opportunity to supply the making of a coat for less than half the usual price; warm and cozy. Shown in plain or plaid effects. Regular value to \$4.50. At a yard **\$1.45**

54-Inch Black Marvella, a rich looking material with a good pile; will make a handsome coat. At a yard **\$7.95**

54-Inch Pure Wool Blanket Velour, an ideal fabric for light yet warm wear; very soft texture. Shown in navy, paddy, Copenhagen, grey, brown and rose. At a yard **\$2.25**

40-Inch Cream Nuns' Veiling, extra weight all-wool, most satisfactory for children's dresses. At a yard **\$1.50**

54-Inch Italian Cloth, with a very brilliant sheen, extra heavy weight; suitable for undershirts and coat linings. Shown in black, navy, grey, brown and ecru. At a yard **\$1.50**
—Dress Goods, Main Floor

Tinsel Brocaded
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Beauty-Quality Tinsel Brocaded Ribbons, in Oriental and conventional designs. Will make up into ideal table runners, cushion covers, hand bags or for hat crowns, sashes, dress vests, etc. Shown in shades of rose and gold, gold and silver, black and gold, black and silver, jade and silver, navy and silver, brown and gold. 9 to 12 inches wide. Values from \$1.50 to \$8.75. Anniversary Sale, a yard **95¢ to \$4.90**
—Ribbons, Main Floor

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English Satene Underskirts, extra fine quality, in a splendid selection of colors; finished with a knife-pleated flounce. At **\$1.85**
Extra large sizes **\$2.25**

English Moirette Underskirts, splendid wearing qualities; shown in navy, grey, brown, purple and rose. Priced at **\$2.25**
Extra large sizes **\$2.65**

Costume Slips of Striped Satinette, with hemstitched top and shoulder straps; colors are peach, orchid, flesh, grey, brown, sand, white, navy and black; all sizes. Specially priced at **\$1.75**
—Underwear, 1st Floor

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Exceptional Values

Women's Chiffon Hose, an exceptionally thin fabric, with hemmed tops and reinforced feet. Shades are black, nude, peach and fawn. A pair **\$2.25**

Wimsome Maid Hose, a wide knit-in-hem top, close-fitting ankle, double wear heels and sole. A complete range of colors; sizes 8½ to 10. A pair **\$2.50**

Kayser Full Fashioned Hose, with mercerized lisle top, mock seam, shapely leg and ankle, reinforced sole. Shades are black, brown, navy, medium grey, white, sand, etc. A pair **\$2.50**

Women's Heavy Fibre Silk Hose, with mercerized lisle top, mock seam, shapely leg and ankle, reinforced sole. Shades are black, brown, navy, medium grey, white, sand, etc. A pair **\$1.25**

Women's Dropstitch Silk Hose, with double garter hem and reinforced feet; black, brown, polo and white; sizes 8½ to 10. On sale, a pair **99¢**

Women's Novelty Stripe Silk Hose, with seamless feet and double apliced heels and toes. Camel, black, beige, brown, polo and new grey; sizes 8½ to 10. At a pair **\$1.25**

Women's Pure Silk Hose, with contrasting colored clox, lisle garter hem; sizes 8½ and 9 only; shades of black, cordovan, suede and white. Regular \$1.50 for a pair **50¢**

Women's Silk Plated Hose, with elastic garter top and well reinforced foot; sizes 8½ to 10; shades of cruiser, log cabin, black, brown and pearl. A pair **98¢**

Women's Fashioned Cashmere Hose, in grey, black, sponge, brown, mouse, log cabin and white. Values to \$1.50 for a pair **98¢**

Women's Fancy Silk and Wool Hose, with dropstitch at front and back of leg, giving smart effect. They are full fashioned and seamless, have double soles, full size legs and deep garter welt. At a pair **\$1.50**

Women's Chiffon Hose, exceptionally sheer; sizes 8 to 10. Shades are camel, beige, fawn, Airedale. Regular \$1.50 for a pair **98¢**
—Hosiery, Main Floor

Men's Fall-Weight Underwear

Men's "Hatchway" No-Button Combinations, for Fall wear; wool mixture of nice medium weight, shown in a natural shade. At a suit **\$3.50**

"Hatchway" No-Button Combinations, cream elastic rib, a cotton garment with a soft wool finish, for Fall wear. At a suit **\$2.75**

Turnbull's Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, medium weight; double-breasted shirts. All sizes up to 44 chest. At a garment **\$1.95**

Combinations, a suit **\$3.75**

Turnbull's celebrated "Ceete" all-wool underwear. These garments are a heavy, natural color, pure Australian wool. All sizes up to 44. At a garment **\$3.75**

Men's All-Wool Underwear, "Viking" Brand, made in England; guaranteed unshrinkable. This line is shown in a natural shade, in good weight for Fall and Winter wear, is full fashioned, has spliced elbows, seats and knees. Sizes up to 42 chest. At a garment **\$3.50**

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—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

200 Men's Fur
Felt HatsOn Sale, Each, **\$3.50**

200 Fur Felt Hats, in various styles, plain or brushed finish. Shades include pearl, fillert, cedar, oak grey, dark brown, black. They have medium crowns, semi-roll brims and leather sweat bands. Sizes 6 5/8 to 7 5/8. On sale for, each **\$3.50**
—Hats, Main Floor

Men's Fine Worsted Suits
New Styles, Each, **\$35.00**

Suits for men and young men, in blue, plain grey and fancy worsteds; made from the best English cloths, and tailored superbly. The wearing quality of these suits is unbeatable, and the models are the newest, and very neat. Exceptional value at **\$35.00**
—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

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Tablecloths in wild rose design, 63x72 inches. Regular value \$3.50. On sale for **\$2.75**

All-Linen Irish Damask Cloths, in fine weave, 72x72 inches. Reg. \$9.50. Sale price **\$6.00**

72x90 inches. Reg. \$10.50. Sale price **\$7.50**

Table Napkins to match, three designs. Reg. a dozen, \$9.50. On sale for **\$6.75**

Irish Cloths in wild rose design, 72x90 inches. Reg. \$5.00 value, for **\$3.95**

Table Napkins to match, hemmed. Reg. \$4.00. On sale, a dozen **\$3.00**

Irish Cloths in wild rose design, 72x72 inches. Reg. \$4.00. On sale for **\$3.25**
—Linen Section, Main Floor

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—2nd Floor

English Flannelette

White English Flannelette, made of the best Egyptian cotton.

36 Inches wide, superior grade. At a yard **35¢**

36 Inches wide, ideal texture. Yard **45¢**

36 Inches wide, the best yet. Yard **50¢**
—Staple Dept., Main Floor

New Fall Silks on Sale Monday

36-Inch Figured Roshenara is a most popular silk at the present time. A good heavy material in nice designs on black, navy or grey grounds. At a yard **\$3.95**

40-Inch Figured Crepe de Chine, a most desirable quality of crepe. Shown in self designs in almond, ecru, rose, pearl, tangerine, toast, ocean green and honeydew. At a yard **\$4.50**

36-Inch Silk Crepe Knit, a great favorite for dresses. Rich in appearance and serviceable to wear. Shown in black, navy, nigger, fallow, white, Copenhagen, rose and grey. At a yard **\$1.95**

36-Inch Duchesse Satin, a bright rich looking satin that makes up well for dresses. Shown in shades of navy, black, grey, henna, coral, Copenhagen, wine, moss, mauve, pink, shrimp, jade and paddy. At a yard **\$1.95**

33-Inch Natural Pongee, an exceptionally well made silk, free from dressing. Regular \$1.50 at a yard **98¢**

29-Inch Spun Silk, a splendid weave that will give endless wear for dresses, lingerie, curtains, etc. Shown in shades of black, navy, nigger, grey, sand, mauve, pink, white and natural. At a yard **98¢**
—Silks, Main Floor

Crepe de Chine Blouses, \$7.95 to
\$15.00

Crepe de Chine Blouses, in tailored, semi-tailored or over-blouse effects, with round, square, Peter Pan or "V" necks, vestee fronts, or new long collar effects. The latest fashions in trimmings are featured, including fine tucks, pleating, hemstitching, filet, and elaborate silk or braid embroidery. Beautiful shades to choose from. Sizes 36 to 44. Each **\$7.95 to \$15.00**
—Blouses, 1st Floor

Latest Ideas in Evening Slippers

We are showing many new enticing patterns in Evening Slippers, in black satin, suede, patent and kid and clever combinations of these materials. Fancy strap designs and the new gore pattern with beaded ornaments take the lead.

The prices range as follows:

Black satin, from, a pair **\$5.00**

Black suede, from, a pair **\$7.00**

Patent, from, a pair **\$4.00**

Patent, from, a pair **\$10.00**

Black kid, from, a pair **\$5.00**

Mole kid at, a pair **\$12.00**

White Kid from, a pair **\$10.00**

to **\$12.50**

See These in Our View Street Window.

New Oxfords

Two New Cut-Out Oxfords are being shown this week. One in black suede, trimmed with black calf and clever cut-out designs on side; hand-turned soles and covered heels. Priced at a pair **\$10.00**

The other is of Airedale suede, trimmed with brown calf and similar design. Priced at a pair **\$10.00**

Wear the New Shoes in Comfort

Our Foot Correction Department is prepared to advise, and where necessary to take a mould of the foot and build supports to exactly suit each individual requirement.

The success of this branch of our department has been re-supports weigh one ounce or less, and will not break the shoes. The foot suffers to a happier condition. The advice is free. The supports weigh one ounce or less, and will not break the shoes. Specialist and nurse in attendance from 1 to 5:30 daily.

—Women's Shoe Dept., 1st Floor

The other day a merchant in London committed suicide. His brother, trafficking as the inquest said he had been worrying about the possible effect of German competition on his business. The Rothermere papers made much of this story, and referred to it in an editorial in such a

**Many Pay Supertax on
Income Over £100,000**

There were 137 persons in Great Britain and Northern Ireland with an income of more than £100,000 in the year 1922-23, and their total income was £26,671,371.

This would give an average income of nearly £190,000 each for the 137.

The figures are stated by Mr. Ormsby, M.P., Financial Secretary to the Treasury, in a Parliamentary reply giving the number of super-tax payers.

There were altogether 84,539 super-tax payers, with a total income of £9,771,421s, or an average of £58.82.

Incomes between £75,000 and £100,000 numbered 127, and their total was £10,778,253.

the Government in recent years has naturally been sympathetic, because parliament is controlled by the peasant farmers, but there is still a

"And after about a Dozen or more of Hubbles had been dropped upon her head, the Little Sister put her hand to take them all down, lest she herself might behold them."

"For she supposed that the

We need both kinds! But we must use the Perishable Blessings as not abusing them, for the Fashion of this world Passeth Away, as a certain wise man said in a day when Fashions might change perchance once in a Thousand Years, and

passed beyond the initial experimental stages and has been taken in hand by the National Lumber Manufacturers' Association. If it is commercially practicable it may be extremely valuable as a step to the conservation of the world's timber supplies.

Are Greenland's Icy Mountains Sliding South?

Capt. Donald MacMillan Notes Glaciers Shifting During Arctic Explorations—Eskimos Confirm Belief of Southbound Bergs—Coastline Found to Be Sinking Into Sea—Native Homes Forced Back

WHITE MAN'S MAGIC FAILS TO ASTONISH ABORIGINES

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WISCASSET, Me., Oct. 11.—Along the coast of Greenland signs of the possible coming of a second ice age are to be found, according to Capt. Donald B. MacMillan, who has just returned here in the schooner Bowdoin after spending eighteen months in the North.

"The glaciers are unquestionably moving southward," said Capt. MacMillan. "On the previous expeditions I have noted their positions, and a check trip showed they are shifting. I also verified this by the observations of old Eskimos, who were all emphatic in their conclusions that the big bergs were southbound again. I am not prepared to say whether this means that a new ice age is coming. There is not enough scientific data at hand to justify such a prediction. But I do believe these great cycles of ice movements will someday be understood, and that an explanation will be found for the fact that there was once a temperate climate in the Arctic. We found even semi-tropical fossilized flora, including the eucalyptus.

Greenland Sinking. The coast line of North Greenland is unquestionably sinking. We found clam shells at a height of 1,100 feet above the present shore line. The location of the shells is further proof of this. They are constantly building farther and farther back from the shore. Many of the igloos are in the water. The glacial moraines are sinking. The entire country is glaciated, the strata running from northeast to southwest. I was curious in noting that radio waves seemed to travel only in this same direction. I could learn nothing to justify a conclusion as to any connection between the two phenomena.

"The rocks are igneous and metamorphic and show the contortions of tremendous heat and pressure. Even the sandstone is metamorphic and is extremely hard. The prevailing formations are gneiss, granite and red granite. There is an abundance of coal, but it is doubtful to me whether it can ever be worked. The Eskimos tried to use it, but having no stove, one family was asphyxiated by burning it unworked in their tupic.

Simple Language. "I have compiled a partial dictionary of the Eskimo language. It is unique in that it is almost entirely derived from utility. One might characterize it as a dynamic language. I can find no words for abstract ideas. There is an abundance of words for the use denoted by the particular word. For instance, the word for dog is 'that which pulls.' So far, my study of the language has failed to yield any of those clues as to origins and early tribal history and racial relationships which philological inquiry usually reveals. However, it is a fruitful inquiry, particularly in throwing light on the Eskimo's apparent inability to generalize—words denoting generalizations being entirely lacking. I shall continue this study in my later expeditions.

left-handed screw which traverses the apex from tip to root. These ivory spars were found in Greenland long before the narwhal was known, and the fabled unicorn was built up around them.

"Had the radio been in existence at the time Peary discovered the North Pole, the world would have known of the discovery six months before it did, and there never would have been any Cook controversy."

Eskimos Accept Radio Calmly. As a sidelight on "Dr. Cook's Im-

prisonment," Dr. MacMillan commented, "I learned of Cook's latest affair and his prison sentence over the radio. And I told one of the Eskimo boys who had been with Cook when he was in the Arctic that Cook was in jail." Though the Eskimos have no jails, no form of punishment, the boy understood.

The Eskimos of the Polar region owe their introduction to the radio and movies to Dr. MacMillan, or Nalegak, as they reverently call him. Nalegak means in Polar Eskimo, the chief. It also serves to name the white man's God.

Major W. C. Barrett, whose Canadian radio station, 1-DL, at Dartmouth, Nova Scotia, picked up the direct from the returning Arctic party of Donald B. MacMillan.

"When we make any important finds or discoveries we can communicate them at once," he said. "Many months of waiting can be saved. Should it happen that we do not come back, we have at least imparted new information that the scientists are always anxiously waiting for, and our journey will not have been made in vain."

Keeps Crew Good. Speaking of the effects of radio upon the disposition of the individual members of the crew and upon the morale of the crew as a unit, Dr. MacMillan, who has a series of letters after his name if he cares to use them, showing he is master as well as doctor of this and that, and good news knows what not, says:

"The radio gives us food for thought and topics for conversation. To men isolated in the cold regions the radio serves as the daily newspaper, which every one knows is the source of conversation in civilized countries.

"When people are isolated, as an exploring expedition must be, it is bound to come about in the course of time, that the members of the

party cease to be interesting to each other. In a few months we have pumped each other dry. I know all about every man in the party and he knows all about me. All we have to discuss is personalities and past experiences. If we are given to imagination and even the dramatization of our experiences when hard pushed for conversation we even run out of that material. It is a fact that almost every expedition ends by each one hating every one else, though I must say I have been rather fortunate in my own personal experience. But I use the utmost care in selecting my crew. From the many applicants I choose the men I feel will wear the best with me and with each other.

Radio Social Help. "During the months we are ice-bound, waiting for the long night to pass, it is or was until the radio came to our relief, the habit for each man to stay by himself as much as possible. We might meet only at meal times, and perhaps not then, for we would take our dogs and go off alone on long journeys to visit our Eskimo friends to get away from such other.

"The radio made us quite normal, happy human beings. For one thing, we were all anxious to keep in touch with the news from home. We waited around for the radio programme. We also enjoyed the music and waited for that. No longer were we cut off from the whole world, and our temper was much better than in the pre-radio days.

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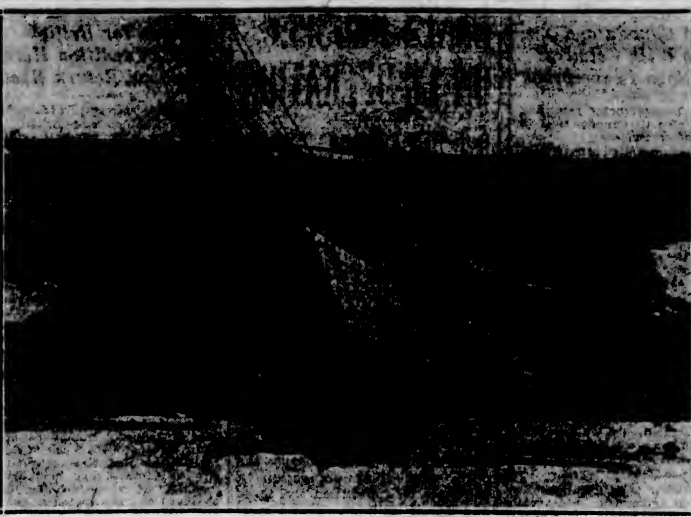
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Dr. MacMillan gave radio parties to his Eskimo helpers and to all his Eskimo friends on several occasions. The guests came on sleds pulled by the wonderful dog teams from as far as 150 miles. The natives were not frightened, nor did they feel that

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Belgium Watches Uneasily Posture of Economic Affairs

Franco-German Trade Agreement Would Be Fraught With Serious Consequences to Little Monarchy, Which Has No Iron Ore and Not Enough Coal to Feed Factories

EUROPEAN POLITICS BEGIN TO FACE FACTS OF BUSINESS

RUSSELS, Oct. 11.—The Belgian business community is at present watching with the greatest interest, but not without anxiety, the trend of events in international politics, and particularly the trend of economic relations between France and Germany. A Franco-German economic rapprochement might have much more serious consequences for Belgium than is suspected abroad, and it is perhaps useful to point out that the future of Belgian industry is closely bound up with the aspect of the Franco-German rapprochement.

Belgium has no iron ore. Her resources of coal, and particularly of coke, are insufficient to feed her industries, which depend more or less completely on France and Germany for raw materials. The Versailles Treaty guarantees, for a period which expires next January, plentiful supplies of coke. After January, however, only a decision of the League of Nations can intervene in Belgium's favor. At present Belgium has no guarantee, and should she try to obtain it she is not sure of France's support.

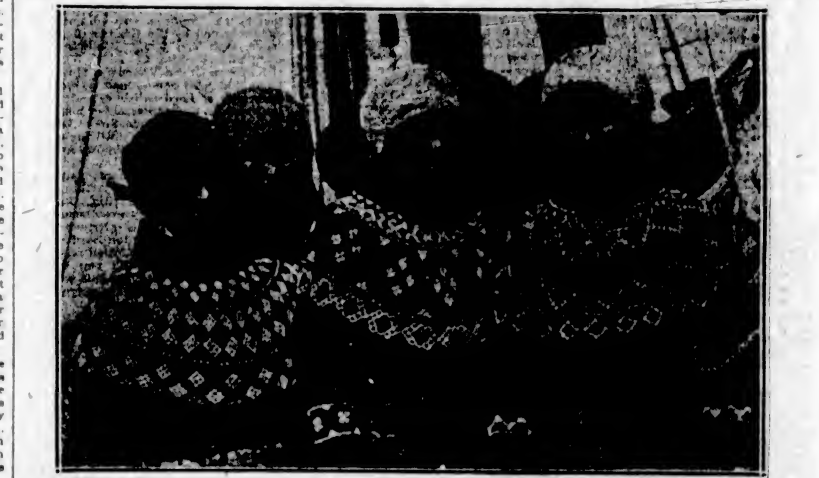
It would be foolish to assume that all is well with the projects of a French and Belgian economic agreement. There is a good deal of wrangling between the two countries, for there is a battle of powerful interests whose conciliation would be, to say the least, exceedingly difficult.

It is, however, important for Belgium to effect an entente as soon as possible. Her geographical position, as well as her economic situation, places her in such a way that if she were caught between two large powers like France and Germany, united by an agreement, she would be smothered unless she had safeguarded herself by a previous agreement with one of the powers. The trend of Belgian politics compels her to cement the alliance with France. Possibly this very necessity is the reason why it is so

opportunely moment by the simple method of preventing it from meeting Franco-German competition.

The realization of such a plan would mean economic disaster for Belgium. I have it on high authority that certain French industrial quarters would not be at all displeased if Belgian workers were in the near future compelled to seek employment in France; 200,000 Belgian workers have already emigrated to France and are not likely to return. Affiliates of language, customs, and religion draw Belgium's unemployed to France; skilled Belgian workers are attracted by the high wages. In short, a wholesale, systematic depopulation would go hand in hand with the ruin of a fairly important competitor, to the direct benefit of Belgium's southern neighbor.

A Great Disparity. These few facts explain why France is keener on an understanding with Germany—despite official Franco-Belgian declarations of friendship—than to conclude an agreement with Belgium. A survey of the trading position between France and Belgium may be of interest at this juncture. In the first seven months of 1924 France imported 423 million francs' worth of manufactured goods from Belgium. Belgium imported 1,112 million francs' worth of goods from France.



Greenland Flappers, Photographed at Gothaab, Greenland, by the MacMillan Expedition. The Eskimo Flappers Refused to Wiggle for the Expedition Saxophone, but Not So These Girls. They Were Moved to Charming Undulations by the Saxophone Toots, and Did Their Native Folk Dances for the Members of the Bowdoin's Crew. Their Costumes Are Colorful and Elaborate.

Pulse rate, rather than rise in bodily temperature, it was discovered, apparently determines the extent of discomfort in high temperatures. Subjects became very uncomfortable when the pulse reached 135; pulse rate, minute, and unbearable symptoms appeared at 140. The highest pulse rate recorded was 184.

The American Society of Heating and Ventilating Engineers co-operated in the experiments, which were designed to afford a study of conditions as they might affect miners.

Faces Hard Winter. ARCHANGEL, Russia, Oct. 11.—Great drives of famished bears, emerging from the snowbound woods in search of food, have killed thousands of sheep and cattle near Archangel. Natives have organized vigilance squads to shoot the marauding animals, which never before have been known to be so numerous at this time of the year.

difficult to obtain the signature of a Franco-Belgian agreement.

An Anxious Position. The position is one of great anxiety for Belgium. France has iron; Germany has coal. An alliance between the two countries would constitute a formidable power. The present development in French industry, which is following the example of German industry, is a source of great anxiety to Belgian industrialists. It is a system of division of labor based upon the theories of the German economist Bismarck, which aims at centralizing production, at absorbing the least prosperous and the least well-furnished works, at eliminating burdensome processes and liberating capital.

The question arises whether the opposition to an economic agreement in French industrial quarters is not based on such a policy, in a word, whether the intention is not to ruin Belgian industry and then to absorb it at the

Bearing in mind that Belgium has barely eight million inhabitants, and that France has 42 millions, the disproportion is enormous.

Caribbean Relics Recall Old Pirates Of Spanish Main

TORONTO, Oct. 11.—Relics full of romance have been brought from the Caribbean Sea to Toronto by W. O. Tretheway, souvenirs of his yachting cruise. He obtained them from Jean Brown, a treasure seeker, who is constantly searching in this area for ancient spoils. One of Mr. Tretheway's souvenirs is an ornate hammered steel chest of the pirate period of 300 years ago, when buccaniers adventuring from the Spanish Main, took what they found and asked no man's authority.

This chest has heavy handles, an excellent key-lock of fancy cut steel, and is bound with steel bands back and front. Deep-notched catches at the side assure its security. The rust of the sea for three centuries has eaten it through in places, but it is easily seen that it was a very serviceable property. When found it was partly full of Spanish gold and silver coin and short pieces of bullion. As it is two feet high and three and a half long, it could easily contain a fortune. Along with this another smaller one of iron. It is not nearly so ornamental as the other, but probably has had quite as interesting a history.

This Hair Tonic Had Wonderful Kick In It

TORONTO, Oct. 11.—Mrs. Blanch Friend was awarded \$152 by Judge O'Connell in her action against a local druggist for injuries suffered following the use of hair tonic purchased from that firm. She claimed that the tonic blistered her face and scalp and that she was ill for weeks as a result of using it. Mrs. Friend sued for \$152. The judgment awarded her \$152 for medical attention and \$400 for suffering and personal discomfort. Referring to the contradictory story

Motors & Motoring

Small Racing Car Engines Becoming Yet Even Smaller

Present Indications Are That Automobiles Entered for 1926 Annual 500-Mile Classic at Indianapolis Will Have Piston Displacement of 91 Cubic Inches—Decrease in Size of Engine Since 1911

MOTORS ABLE TO DEVELOP HUNDRED MILES PER HOUR

THE small automobile is going to be made smaller. In 1924, according to present signs, automobiles entered in the annual 500-mile classic at the Indianapolis Speedway will have a piston displacement of ninety-one cubic inches—tiny engines going at the rate of more than 5,000 revolutions a minute and speeding faster than the bigger machines in previous years.

The history of auto racing points to the steady decrease of engine size for lightness and speed. In 1911, when the first race was run, the limit was 600 cubic inches, and big lumbering cars weighing 2,000 pounds and over made what was then the "remarkable" speed of 74.59 miles an hour.

Speed Goes Up

Last Memorial Day witnesses at the Indianapolis Speedway saw a light, one-man, streamline racer tear through 500 miles of track at a speed of 93.24 miles an hour, and the size of this racer's engine was only a fifth that of 1911.

At the same time, behind the scenes reared an even lighter car—of 91 cubic inches piston displacement—not ready as yet to enter that race, but promising to become an important competitor in the next event. Unofficial reports of its recognition stress its importance for the future.

At the time of the first race, in 1911, Ralph De Palma's Simplex reached within three inches of the 600 cubic inch limit. It had a bore of 5 1/2 inches and a stroke the length of its bore.

Another competitor, the Fiat, which came in third, has a displacement of 518 cubic inches, with a 3-inch bore and 7 1/2-inch stroke.

Tiny Engines

Compare this with the 122-cubic-inch car of 1924, with bore of about

2 3/4 inches and strokes of little over 3 inches, for eight cylinders—and an idea of the smallness of the 91-inch motor may be gleaned.

The eighth-line has been a popular engine for racers ever since 1920, when Duesenberg displayed wonders with his new model, all of which came below the 183-cubic-inch limit. It is hardly conceivable that the 91-inch motors will be straight eights, for their piston displacement would limit them down to a bore of about 2 or 2 1/4 inches by a stroke of 2 1/2 inches or 2 3/4 inches, respectively.

In the case of four-cylinder engines of 81-inch displacement, however, the cylinder bore would be about 2 inches diameter by a little over 3 inches stroke.

Supercharger Needed

Even this size cylinder would be impossible of endurance and consistent high speed were it not for the supercharger. It is due to this auxiliary that the small, speedy engines of 5,000 or more revolutions a minute can maintain their speed without a break.

Without the supercharger, the small engines would have to be slowed up because the suction stroke is so short that not enough time would be given the engine to draw up enough fuel and air for complete combustion. The supercharger is used, therefore, to force air into the cylinders during each suction stroke at at least twice atmospheric pressure, so that enough mixture is received at all times and the small engine is maintained at a high and consistent speed.

Therefore, it may be safely predicted that every car having an engine of 91 cubic inches displacement will carry a supercharger to maintain it at a high speed.

HUPMOBILE STORM CURTAINS ARE RIGID

Strong Fit and Facilities for Storing Them Gives Long Period of Usage, Says Local Dealer

Novel improvements in the manufacture of storm curtains, in their fit and in storing them, have been made for the four open models of the new Hupmobile—the touring car, roadster, special touring and special roadster.

"In manufacturing them," says Mr. Stan Wallis, of the Consolidated Motors, Ltd., local Hupmobile distributor, "the curtain lights are enclosed in a rigid metal frame, protecting the lights from being scratched or cracked as the curtains are put on or taken off the car. The metal frame surrounding the light on all four sides also makes the entire curtain much stiffer, consequently much easier to handle, both in removing and installing. The metal frame also assists in retaining the original perfect snug fit of the curtains. It makes them practically weatherproof over a long period of usage.

"Of equal importance to close-fitting curtains is the question of their storage. In the touring and special touring models a compartment in the back of the front seat has been provided where the curtains remain flat in their frames, do not chafe each other and are ready for instant use.

"In the roadster and special roadster a special curtain holder is provided inside the interior compartment. Another valuable feature is that curtain fasteners are so placed that they allow all curtains to be put in position quickly from inside the car. This is especially important in the event of sudden storms."

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CORN-COB AS FUEL MAY BE POSSIBLE

Chemical Research Produces Another Economical Substitute for Petroleum Gas—Many By-Products

The lowly corn-cob may soon be furnishing fuel to run motor vehicles, and it is possible that this new "gas" will cause a change in fuel costs. Chemists of the United States Department of Agriculture, after working for a period of six years, have developed a process that is said to make possible a low-priced substitute for a fuel for motor vehicle engines, as well as for a wide variety of hard rubber products and provide a good market for waste farm by-products.

The results of this work have been announced by Dr. W. W. Skinner, Assistant Chief of the Bureau of Chemistry.

The achievement consists in the perfection of methods for producing a chemical compound known as furfural at a low price and by a simple process from corn-cobs. Dr. Frederick B. La Forge and Gerald H. Main, of the United States Bureau of Chemistry are credited with having done this work. They have successfully brought the process for the production of furfural to a commercial scale, and at the same time have aided in the development of a commercial market for furfural by supplying quantities of the material to manufacturers for co-operative research of its utilization.

Importance of Work

The importance of the work is apparent when it is understood that such widely used articles as printing plates—light, durable substitutes for electrotypes—phonograph records, varnishes, pipe, cigarette holders, electrical instrument parts formerly made from hard rubber, buttons, binders for brushes, glue and a hundred other kindred articles are now being manufactured from synthetic resin compounds, and the use of such resins is rapidly increasing.

The synthetic resins industry, since chemists discovered the secret of making them about fifteen years ago, has had a remarkable growth. The raw materials used in this industry are chiefly formaldehyde and phenol (carbolic acid). These two compounds, when chemically combined, condense into a solid which is highly valuable as the basis for making the articles enumerated. Through tests have proved furfural to be an excellent substitute for formaldehyde in this work.

Possibilities Are Great

The possibilities of conservation may be seen when it is explained that the source of formaldehyde is methanol (wood alcohol), and that methanol is produced chiefly from the destructive distillation of hard woods, such as birch, beech, oak, maple and elm. The soft woods, while they are more plentiful in America, produce such low yields of methanol that they are of small value as a source of supply.

Furfural, under the La Forge process, can be produced commercially for about six cents per pound, and with the development of the by-products, also obtained from corn-cobs, Dr. La Forge is hopeful that it may be produced even more cheaply. Among the available by-products are acetic acid and a gummy material which has a field of usefulness in the manufacture of coal briquettes. Tests show the superiority of the briquettes made with this gum over those made with other binders. The new briquettes are characterized by a total absence of smoke and superior water-resisting qualities.

Fuel for Auto

Furfural has been tried as a fuel in an automobile engine and worked successfully. Dr. La Forge reports, it will explode under the conditions of the automobile engine, but because of its high boiling point cannot be used with the type of carburetor suited to gasoline.

The method of production is quite simple, as opposed to the former method of obtaining furfural, which is a complicated and costly process. Following their laboratory experiments, Dr. La Forge and Mr. Main erected a large scale experimental plant in the large industrial laboratory of the Bureau of Chemistry.

The apparatus consists of a large steel cylinder, conical shaped at the bottom, with a removable lid which can be clamped down tightly, and a valve at the bottom for the discharge of the exhausted material.

When leaks occur at the seats of valves it indicates poor combustion and that the valves need grinding.

FAVOR COMPULSORY AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE

Campaign by Proponents of Such a Law Being Pushed—Means That All Carry Liability Insurance

Motoring officials everywhere report the fight for and against compulsory automobile insurance is being renewed this year with greater vigor. Compulsory automobile insurance in general would require every car owner, including trucks and busses, to carry liability insurance for his vehicle, and in some cases an additional requirement for property damage and injury.

Those favoring the passing of such legislation contend that the irresponsible driver would by this means be made to pay for any personal injury or property damage he might cause. Compulsory automobile insurance has worked with remarkable success in Denmark and Switzerland, proponents of the law claim.

ROAD HOGGING CAUSE OF MANY ACCIDENTS

Slow-Moving Vehicles on Road Centre Prove Source of Danger—Keep to Right Side of Road

It is reported that accidents due to road hogging are on the increase. Traffic officials who have made a study of the situation contend that this is a condition that could be easily avoided if every motorist would stay in his place. Jockeying back and forth, in and out of traffic lines is most in evidence during the rush-hour periods, especially in the city. This is brought about to a large extent by slow moving machines which insist on travelling as near the centre of the road as possible.

It has long been an unwritten law that slow moving vehicles should stay close to the curb, but this does not seem to be carried out in its practice to the extent it should be. The solution of traffic jams, of course, is to keep all vehicles moving, but it can never be accomplished if slow moving cars are allowed to monopolize the centre of the roadway.

Motor officials here express the opinion that good results could be obtained if traffic officers paid some attention to this phase of the problem. Such action would go a long way toward a solution of traffic congestion and would further help to prevent accidents now taking place when motorists, who want to travel at the legal rate of speed, try to go around a slow moving vehicle which is allowed to meander along the centre of the highway.

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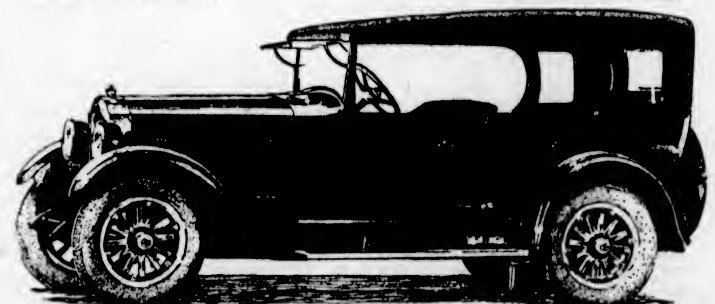
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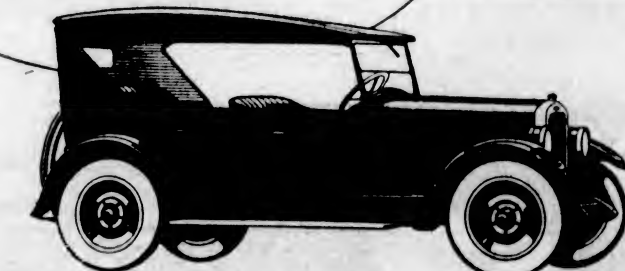
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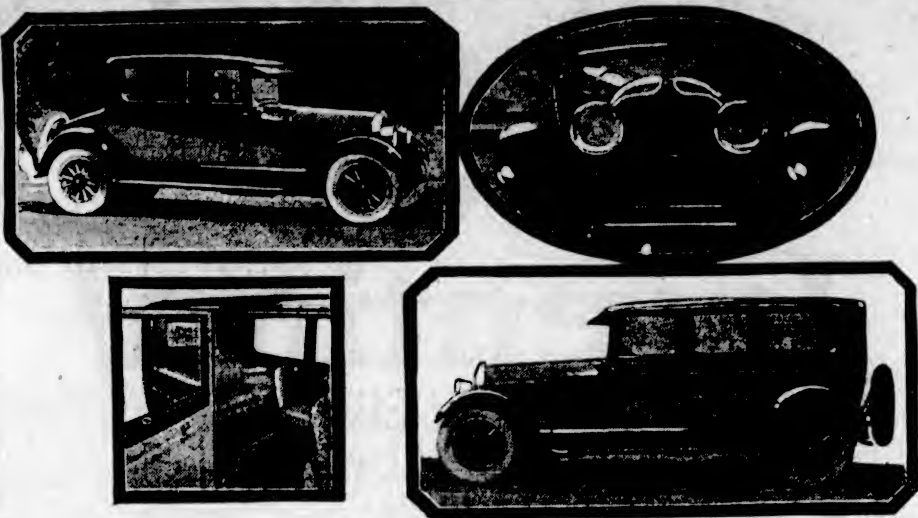
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Outstanding achievements of the coachmaker's craft are portrayed in Cadillac custom-built bodies. Top left: A five-passenger coupe, 138-inch wheelbase, sloping windshield, long rear deck and conservative harmony of design. Top right: The new radiator casing for custom bodies, headlamps and sidelamps are nickel-plated.

Lower left: A custom-made broadcloth interior, with broad-lace panels on doors, fittings of modified classic design, cushions of individually fabric-encased coil springs, giving the maximum of comfort. Lower right: A Cadillac custom-built seven-passenger suburban, exemplifying dignity, spaciousness and riding comfort.

NEW OAKLAND MODELS ARE NOW ON DISPLAY

Wide Variety of Body Styles Include in 1925 Series—Can Meet All Demands

Probably the most important changes and refinements ever made in a new series of cars by the Oakland Motor Car Company, Oshawa, Ontario, have been incorporated in the new 1925 6-54 Oakland.

The cars are being displayed in the showrooms of Tait and McEae, Victoria distributors, and are attracting scores of Oakland owners and motor enthusiasts who drive other cars.

A wide variety of body styles are included in the new series and make possible a selection which fills any requirement, it is pointed out by the local distributors.

The new cars are equipped with semi-steel pistons, which is a radical departure from types used in Oakland models of other models. The cars are equipped with balloon tires to fit twenty-two-inch wheels. Ball thrust bearings are engineered on the king pins, which is also a feature of the new models.

The radiator has not been changed in general appearance, but has been made considerably longer. The chassis front springs on all open models have an increased number of leaves which have been constructed thinner than in other designs. The gear ratio on all closed models is now 5.1 to 1. Gabriel snubbers are included on closed models and are of the latest design. It is pointed out, "Front fender tie rods have been removed, the brake mechanism has been materially simplified and the transmission has been improved, engineers at the factory announce.

Body equipment on a majority of the body types has been altered to a great extent and correspond to other general improvements. On the sport types the bodies are finished in black and fender guards have supplanted full bumpers at the rear. Lamps on sport models are nickel-plated, as are the cowl lamps.

All closed bodies which are built by Fisher, include one-piece ventilating windshields which may be raised and lowered by use of a turn lever above the glass. On closed cars the automatic windshield wiper is controlled from the instrument board.

Designers point out that cushion springs have been greatly improved and that motor upholstery in the sedan and four-passenger coupe is now being used. The lower section of the driving compartment has been enlarged, permitting more leg room. The gasoline gauge is on the dash in

the open sport models and the sport sedan.

More interest is being displayed in the new Oakland than in any other car ever built by Oakland engineers, according to Tait & McEae. They point out that with all of the former appointments retained and with many improvements incorporated in the new designs, Oakland has been advanced further to the front among six-cylinder cars.

SHOULD STANDARDIZE AUTO SPEED LIMITS

Ridiculous to Have Eight Miles an Hour in One Town and Twenty in Another

The demand for a standard code of signals now being urged by motor clubs as a protection against accidents should be extended to include Dominion-wide speed limits that are now largely regulated by city and village councils—scarcely any two municipalities have the same speed laws.

Many a careful motorist having the best intentions and the highest regard for the laws, who slows down while passing through a village because he sees when approaching the town limits a sign reading "Speed limit 15 miles," only finds himself under arrest at the next town, because he fails to see an obscure sign (on the side of a fence, perhaps) telling him the speed limit is twelve miles. In the next town it may be ten miles, and in some instances it is as low as eight.

This diversity of speed limits is not only confusing but annoying and in many instances it creates a well-founded suspicion that the small-town officer is out for the spoils, and has baited his hook for the unsuspecting motor tourist within his village's sacred walls. A provincial or Dominion law establishing a uniform speed limit consistent with safety, to be observed in all cities, towns and villages on the Provincial and national highways, with ample-sized signs conspicuously posted at village approaches would greatly assist public-spirited citizens and patriotic organizations who are working to make British Columbia the motorists' favorite area.

To Remove Rust From Tools

Rust can be kept off tools by dissolving one-half ounce of camphor in one pound of melted lard, remove scum, add enough fine black lead (graphite) to give an iron color. Clean the tools and smear with this mixture. After twenty-four hours rub clean with soft linen cloth.

OVERLAND REACHES ANOTHER MILESTONE

The 100,000th Willys-Overland Car Exported to New South Wales, Australia—Increase in Sales

The 100,000th Willys-Overland car exported to New South Wales, Australia, was recently cleared from New York en route to Overland-Sydney, Ltd., distributors at Sydney, New South Wales, Australia. That this car, marking so important a milestone in the history of the John N. Willys Export Corporation, should find its ultimate purchaser in Australia is a happy coincidence. It was at Brisbane, Australia, that Mr. E. G. Eager established himself as the first overseas distributor of Willys-Overland products, and here the first Overland to be exported was taken from its crate and placed in operation.

Mr. Eager died some years ago, but his son, Fred E. Eager, now occupies the post of Australian Sales Representative, and the old firm of E. G. Eager & Son still operates at Brisbane as Willys-Overland distributors for Queensland.

Automotive Pioneering

In the early days, most Australian purchasers made a practice of discarding the top and windshields of their cars. Then they would strap a spare tire and a rifle to the bow supports and disappear into the bush. Every car served also as a truck, and the tongue was often loaded to capacity with boxes, casks and rolls of barbed wire. A few weeks of this rough use of the upholstery, fenders, and in time no vestige of springs or cushions remained. Aided by the motor car, these pioneers populated a wilderness and conquered the desert and the bush. Today, they want automobiles which provide the utmost in comfort, convenience and beauty, and Overland and Willys-Knight cars have kept pace with their demands.

During the years that have passed since the first Overland car landed on a foreign shore, the business of the John N. Willys Export Corporation has steadily expanded over a world-wide market.

One in Twelve

On the basis of current production figures of the Willys-Overland Company, which show a total of more than 1,200,000 cars built, the shipment of this 100,000th export car means that one out of every twelve cars found a foreign purchaser.

The expansion of Willys-Overland export business, year by year, is a story of conservative, painful marketing based on fundamentally sound policies. Recognition of the vital

need for specialization in the export field is evidenced by the fact that a separate company, known as the John N. Willys Export Corporation was organized in 1919.

The executives and staff of the company might, on occasion, show a mild interest in a hundred-car-drive-away for some domestic distributor, but their enthusiasm is quickly aroused by the sight of a string of flats loaded with Overland and Willys-Knight cars boxed for export and on their way abroad.

Noise is a curious thing. We can sit in a room with a clock and never hear it. We expect a clock to be "tick-tock" and are annoyed if it is silent. We demand our cars to be silent as the grave. Don't you think it was at Brisbane, Australia, when one noise disappears you hear another. Our limousines are now so quiet that the chauffeur in the front seat can hear the boss thinking in the rear.

The automobile division of the Pennsylvania Department of Highways recently issued (tag 1,000,000) for passenger cars. The division began its second series of passenger car numbers, whose numerals will be prefixed with the letter "A."

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—the only car in which it is always possible to make a split-second snap to a lower gear, and brake the car sharply on hills and in traffic

—the only car which solves the difficulties of the old-fashioned transmission without changing the use of the shift lever or the clutch.

That is why the Traffic Transmission will always rank as one of the great steps forward in automotive design. That is why you should see and drive a Chandler today!

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a small boy to last at a man's job? Jewett's 50 h.p. Paige-built motor is big! It gets its big power from size. So it does its work without straining. That's why it lasts long!

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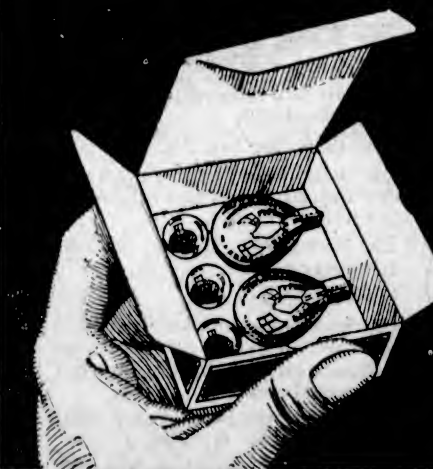
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Cooper Makes Come-Back in Studebaker



EARL COOPER

Who is second in this year's competition for American Automobile Association "Speed King." With a Studebaker Special, Cooper has been making a come-back this year, and was only robbed by hard luck of \$50,000 first prize at the very end of the 500-Mile Indianapolis Speedway Race in May.

JEWETT AGAIN WINS
HILL CLIMB CONTEST

Takes Both First and Second Places and Sets New Record on Virgil Hill, New York, on Labor Day

Before a crowd estimated at 25,000 persons, the largest that has attended a hill-climbing contest in two years in New York State, two Jewetts won first and second and set a new record on Virgil Hill, at the edge of Cortland, New York, Monday, Labor Day, afternoon, according to advices received here by Eve Brothers, local Paige and Jewett distributors.

Edward A. Bache, driving the Jewett Special which set a new record four seconds faster than the previous one, drove up the mile and two-tenths grade in one minute, eleven and one-half seconds. George Reynolds, who won second place in another Jewett Special, climbed the steep grade in one minute and thirteen seconds.

The next best time on the hill was made by a racing car that carried the monicker of a "Flivver," but nevertheless was able to beat eight-cylinder and other six-cylinder powered cars up the hill by several seconds. The time for this car was one minute nineteen and one-quarter seconds.

This is the fifth successive hill-climb won during the year in New York State by Jewetts, Eve Brothers state. At each the Jewetts also have the distinction of setting new records. The time at Cortland was four seconds faster than last year's record, made by a popular eight-cylinder special built for hill-climbing.

The Cortland race was conducted under the rules and sanction of the American Automobile Association by the Cortland Automobile Club. This will make the third A.A.A. climb, which will carry the Jewett name into the files of the Association as a record breaker.

Other climbs conducted by the three A's, at which records for the hill have been broken by Jewetts this year include the New Salem Hill, near Albany, New York, and the Brinkerhoff Hill, near Syracuse, New York.

MOTOR NOTES

Victoria automobile dealers are highly delighted with the commencement of the Fall business. The sale of enclosed models, both new and used, has been exceptional and dealers are of the opinion that at least seventy per cent of the Fall and Winter sales will be of this type.

Magistrate—"And what was the prisoner doing?"
Officer—"He was having a very heated argument with a chauffeur, your worship."

Magistrate—"But that doesn't prove he was drunk."
Officer—"Ah! But there was no chauffeur there, your worship."

Jameson Motors Limited, local Studebaker distributors, have been very busy the past week demonstrating the Big Six Studebaker. "The Studebaker four-wheel brakes are as near perfect as it is possible to make them," stated Mr. Jameson in discussing the hydraulic brakes, which is optional equipment on the 1915 models. "Travelling at thirty or thirty-five miles an hour the car can be brought to a quick stop without any undue effort on the part of the driver. The hydraulic brakes are automatic and the brake pedal has only to be pressed forward about an inch before the brakes are in full action. Should the hydraulic brakes for any reason fail, the pedal is pressed another inch or so and the usual foot brakes come into action. The Studebaker is equipped with three independent braking systems, the hydraulic, usual foot brake and the emergency brake."

Wear a large hat instead of a cap. A hat protects your ears as you go through the windshield.

If Ford keeps on reducing the price of his car, Woolworth will be the general distributor.

Eve Brothers report that the sale of both Jewett and Paige cars have been on the increase since moving into their fine new home at the corner of Quadra and Vancouver Streets. The repair department has been forced to work overtime to keep up with the constant rush of business during the past few weeks, says Eve Brothers.

Did you ever stop to think that the distance between heaven and earth is but the thickness of a brake-lining?

Mr. Harry F. Davis, Gordon Street, has been appointed distributor for the Flat-Lite Reflector. With this new reflector it is not necessary to dim headlights, as the ray of light is kept well below the line of vision. The Flat-Lite Reflector is the only reflector that has successfully passed the California anti-glare tests.

As one motorist said recently, "Some people buy spare parts, but I moved close to a railway crossing."

The age of motorcars isn't past. Many a filling station now can get seventeen gallons in a sixteen-gallon tank.

Mr. Stan Wallis, of Consolidated Motors (Victoria) Limited, states that the first shipment of the new Hupmobile Straight "S" is not expected until the first of the year. Already several orders have been taken for the new model, and from present indications, states Mr. Wallis, the new "S" will take the country by storm.

What this country needs "is a lot more horse-power and less exhaust."

Mr. George Weller, of the Weller Auto Supply House, reports that the eight-hour constant potential charging plant has been working to capacity. "Leaving a battery in the morning and calling for it in the evening fully charged is the service offered local motorists by the Weller Auto Supply House."

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N. M. A. Won't Die
Clubs in the National Motorists Association that have refused to take part in the return to the American Automobile Association, effected recently, have met in New York to continue the N. M. A. Richard H. Lee, formerly of Cleveland and now of New York, is president.

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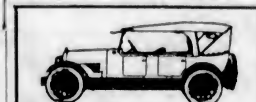
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ANOTHER triumph for Willys-Knight is listed in the announcement of the Lanchester Balancer, a new British invention. It removes the annoyance of closed car vibration.

This adds an ultimate perfection to the recognized excellencies of Willys-Knight closed cars—it adds perfection of riding ease to the grace, the power, the performance, the durability that have earned prestige for Willys-Knight.

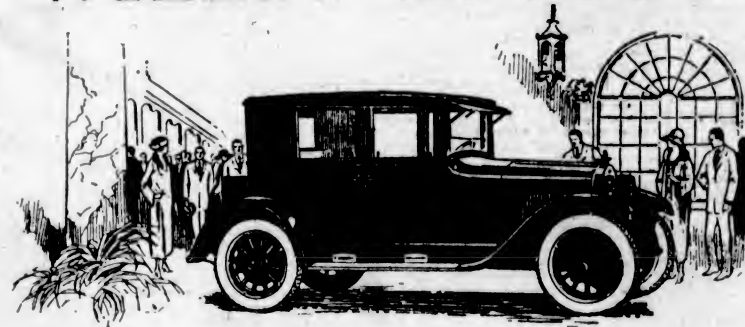
Car owners have desired this improvement since the first closed car was built. The best technical talent of the industry has unceasingly sought it. It has presented a problem seemingly insurmountable.

Willys-Knight now gives the solution of that problem. It makes the impossibility of yesterday the accomplishment of today. It reaches the apex of modern motorcraft in the closed car. Producing perfect inside quiet.

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DECLINE OF YEN CAUSED BY WAR

JAPANESE COASTWISE BUSINESS
IS AFFECTED

Count A. Kabayama Gives Interview
Before Leaving for Orient—
T.K.K. Must Merge Soon

That the Chinese war is affecting Japanese coastwise business and incidentally causing the decline in the value of the yen was the opinion expressed by Count A. Kabayama, one of the most prominent financiers of Japan and a Japanese noble, just before his departure for Yokohama aboard the President Madison last night.

He followed up this statement by saying that during the past few weeks the yen had experienced a heavy drop and today was down to 34 cents.

T.K.K. Merger
Speaking of the Toyo Kisen Kaisha's financial condition, he said, there was no doubt that the line would have to merge with one of the more powerful steamship companies, either the N.Y.K. or O.S.K. A company of its size could not continue to run at a loss against such strong competition, and he thought it quite probable that negotiations would be opened again very shortly for a merger with the N.Y.K. That the liner would merge he accepted as a fact.

Lumber Market
In referring to the lumber market, he said that Japan would not pick up by next spring. "It will take her a long time to recover from such a setback as the recent earthquake. When building did commence in real earnest, however, there would be a strong demand for American and Canadian lumber owing to its quality and cheapness."

The United States will also be a popular market for steel when construction starts in a big way, according to the Count. Steel in Japan was very high, he said, compared with American steel, especially angles, which the Japanese seemed to be unable to manufacture as cheaply as America. Lumber would be used extensively in the reconstruction of Tokyo and Yokohama, he said, owing to the fact that only the rich firms could afford the stronger steel and concrete buildings. The most popular material used in the concrete foundations with wood frame.

Education Counts
Count Kabayama has just returned from placing his young daughter at the Plainfield College, Jersey City. He also visited his son, who is studying political economy at the Princeton University. The Count thinks that to be properly educated Japanese children should be placed in American and British schools at an early age. "Considerable business is being done between America and Great Britain, and we need men and women who can handle that business with the highest efficiency, which can only be gained by a university education at some American or British institution."

"The coming politicians of our country are university students. In fact, all the leaders in the Japanese Diet

ITCHING ECZEMA DRIED RIGHT UP BY THIS SULPHUR

Any breaking out of the skin, even itchy, itching eczema, can be quickly overcome by applying a little Men-tal-Sulphur, says a noted skin specialist. Because of its germ destroying properties, the sulphur preparation instantly brings ease from skin irritation, soothes and heals the eczema right up and leaves the skin clear and smooth.

It seldom fails to relieve the torment and discomfort. Sufferers from skin trouble should get a little jar of Rowles Mental-Sulphur from any good druggist and use it like a cold cream. (Adv.)

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now are men of education," he concluded.

His son, who is now studying at Princeton, is hoping for a political career, and on his return will seek some large business house in which to make use of his knowledge of American language, studies and customs.

SAN FRANCISCO SEES NOVEL COOLING TEST

Maxwell Driven 170 Miles Without
Water to Purify Lubrication and
Cooling Efficiency of Motor

A stock model Maxwell touring car was used last week in conducting an unusual experiment, according to word received by Thomas Filimley, Ltd., Maxwell distributors here, from George Campe, Inc., Maxwell and Chrysler dealers of San Francisco.

"The car was drained of all oil and instead of the normal running lubricant just two quarts of lubricant were poured back into the engine," said an official of Thomas Filimley, Ltd. "The fan belt was then removed and with the fan entirely inoperative the car was dispatched on a 170-mile trip, to prove the lubrication and cooling efficiency of the Maxwell."

"No attempt was made to nurse or favor the car in any way in the figures which show an average speed of about thirty miles an hour from San Francisco down to San Jose and up the east side of the bay to Oakland. With two people in the car, and without a motor stop, the Maxwell started up the long ascent of Mt. Diablo. The climb, which is well known to Bay district motorists, is a real test of the cooling and lubricating qualities of any car. The road ascends almost 4,000 feet in twelve miles."

"Up went the Maxwell with its meagre supply of those necessities of efficient motor performance. The twelve-mile climb was made without a stop and without replenishing the water or oil supply."

"At the completion of the test, the car showed 170 miles for the trip. On drawing the crankcase it was found that just one pint of oil had been consumed. In other words, the car had finished the run and was functioning perfectly on only three pints of oil."

"This demonstration was made to prove the efficiency of the cooling system and demonstrate the value of a full force-feed lubricating system. The Maxwell uses the alcohol type of lubricating which makes it possible for the oil pump to pick up the last bit of oil and circulate it through the drilled crankshaft to kill bearings. Tests have been made with only one quart of oil in the crankcase which show this to be true. In running the car without a fan belt, we proved that the cooling system of the car functions perfectly without the fan belt to draw cooling draughts of air through the radiator. The over-heat water jacket in the motor and the natural circulation of water by the thermosiphon system made this successful test possible."

Points About Skidding

To prevent skidding, a number of points should be observed in both operation and care of a car. Before venturing out in slippery streets with a car, the engine should be in smooth running order, the clutch should disengage easily and freely and engage without suddenly grabbing. The brakes should be adjusted so that they take hold sufficiently to stop the car, but will not lock the wheels except when additional pressure is exerted. They should always take hold evenly at both wheels, because if they do not a sure swerve of the machine to the side of the tightest brake will result. A car which does not have both front and rear wheels in line will not efficiently hold the road in wet weather, especially when brakes are applied. This latter trouble may be due to sprung axles, or to worn rear axle housing out of true, or a sprung frame.

About Fuses

When supplying individual fuses for the various circuits, the capacity of the fuses required will depend upon the amount of current which the circuit will draw.

PRESIDENT LINER USES OUTER WHARF

PRESIDENT MADISON IS FIRST
IN THREE YEARS

McKinley Will Also Dock There To-
night—All of Company's Ships
Expected to Use Them

For the first time since their names were changed from "States" to "Presidents," an Admiral Oriental liner docked at the Outer Wharf last night. This is the first occasion in which a vessel of this line has done so. In three years. During that period the ships have been using the Ogden Point piers.

It was following the ramming of the Outer Wharf by the Pine Tree State, when considerable piling and wharfage was carried away, that the Admiral Line left the Outer Wharf to dock at the Government piers. Since then the liners' names have been changed and they are now called after some of the United States' most famous men.

It was the President Madison that docked last night at the Outer Wharf. The change has been made owing to the resistance of the Ogden Point concrete docks, which damage the ship's plates and frames if the dock is hit very hard. The Hilthet wooden pier, on the other hand, gives when the sides of a liner come in contact with them, thus mitigating any damage that might be done to the liner.

The President McKinley will be the second Admiral Oriental liner to dock at Hilthet's piers. She is due from the Far East at 8 o'clock at the quarantine station, and 9:30 o'clock at the dock.

Although no definite information has been received at the local office, it is thought quite probable that in the future all the Admiral Oriental liners will dock at the Outer Wharf. Announcement to this effect is expected any day now.

McKINLEY DUE TO ARRIVE TONIGHT

BRINGING CARGO VALUED AT
\$5,000,000

Many Prominent Commercial Men
Among Passengers—Mail Con-
signments of 2,865 Bags

Eight o'clock tonight at William Head is the latest advice received on the Admiral Oriental liner President McKinley. Captain Alvin O. Lustig, commanding, by Mr. W. N. Allan, local representative.

The liner brings a cargo valued at \$5,000,000, including raw silk and silk goods. There are 237 passengers on board, fifty of whom will disembark here. She has 2,865 bags of mail.

Among the passengers are many prominent men. Most conspicuous are: Anton Poulet, district manager of the Standard Oil Company, Vancouver, bound for New York on a vacation; W. D. Hobson, manager of the General Motors Company, in Shanghai, Mr. Hobson and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Claddock, of the Liggett & Myers Tobacco Company; J. R. Garner, Oriental representative of the Hamilton Brothers Company, in Manila; H. W. Tye, president of the Oriental Enterprises, exporters, San Francisco; A. Millard, president of the Alfred Millard & Co., exporters, and importers, and Mrs. Millard; Ira L. Bronson, representing Bronson, Robinson & Jones, attorneys for the Sumitomo Bank, Seattle.

AGREEMENT REACHED BY VATICAN AND TURK

Display of Crucifix Again Permitted
on Roman Catholic Schools
in Turkey

ROME, Oct. 11.—The Vatican dispatch, headed by Monsignor Dolci, which has been negotiating with the Turkish Government concerning the restoration of crucifixes in the Catholic schools of Turkey, has succeeded in reaching an agreement satisfactory to the Vatican, according to the Giornale d'Italia.

Last April the Turkish Government ordered the removal of all religious emblems from schools operating in that country. Subsequently a number of French and Italian schools were closed because they refused to remove the religious emblems.

POSTPONE COUNCIL MEETING

On account of the importance of the Social Service Congress, the Local Council of Women is postponing their regular meeting from tomorrow until the following Monday, October 20. All Local Council representatives are urged to attend the sessions of the Congress, which are held on Monday and Tuesday, October 13 and 14, at the First Presbyterian Church.

HARVEST SERVICE

On Thursday, 16th, at 7:30 p.m., a harvest thanksgiving service will be held at St. Mary's Church, Metchoin, at which the Rev. A. E. Nunn will be the preacher. On Sunday, October 19, Holy Communion will be held at 9:15 a.m., and a harvest thanksgiving service at 2:15 p.m.

Shennadoh's Voyage

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 11.—Monday morning at daylight, with the hour fixed tonight for the departure of the navy dirigible Shennadoh for the last leg of her transcontinental journey to Seattle, according to officers at North Island, near here, where the slightly damaged airship is "riding at anchor" to her mooring mast.

Mostly Minor Ills
Most of the troubles with cars are of such minor importance that the owner himself could correct them if taken in hand at once, say engineers at the Automotive Testing Laboratories in Chicago. This is said to be especially true in case of electrical trouble.

New York State has three cars equipped with a road-testing device. Twice a year—Spring and Fall—these cars cover the principal highways of the State, thus not only enabling the Bureau of Highways to know whether the State is getting full value from contractors, but also how much wear is inflicted on the roads by reason of summer traffic as well as by winter snows.

PROBLEM OF BEER IS MORE INVOLVED

"TO BEER OR NOT TO BEER" IS
VEXED QUESTION

Majority of Votes in Province Favor
Dry, While Majority of Dis-
tricts Are Wet

With the recount of beer plebiscite votes in Vancouver leaving the situation unchanged in the Terminal City and the wet ruling, the Province stands with twenty-three electoral districts in favor of beer by the glass and seventeen against any change being made in the present system of Government Control. At the same time "dry," according to final figures issued from the Provincial Secretary's Department, have a majority of 1,714 in the entire Province, the vote now standing at 72,648 for beer by the glass and 73,794 against. A total of 7,659 votes were spoiled.

The whole situation, instead of being clear-cut by the plebiscite, has become more involved, and the prospects are that the word "beer" will occupy a kingly position in the vocabularies of members of the Legislature during the approaching session. The Government has indicated definitely that no steps will be taken to grant licences to sell beer by the glass in those districts which voted in favor of such a plan until the question has been discussed and decided on the floor of the House.

Contest Ends

December 30

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All unsuccessful contestants receive 3% in cash or in Ford merchandise—or to apply on purchase of a car, truck, tractor, etc.—or on oil, gas, accessories or repairs.

DETAILS OF CONTEST

Read these directions carefully. While every attempt has been made to keep this contest free from red-tape, there are nevertheless certain rules and regulations which must be conscientiously observed.

(1) Open to ALL Farmer Ford Owners

All Ford owners, owners of or living on farms, or any member of their families are eligible to enter this contest. Contestants must be 18 years of age or older. Entries accepted will be provided with complete instructions and blank order forms. A sample set of order forms, filled out with test and time prices, will be given each contestant.

(2) Limited Number of Contestants

The first ten Ford owners, rural residents (or members of families) in each Dealer's territory to enrol at the Vancouver Branch will be selected to sell Ford Products in that district.

(3) Tardy Applicants

Those whose applications are received too late to be accepted will be notified. They will be advised who have been accepted, and it is to be hoped that they will co-operate with the ones selected and help them win the prize.

(4) All Sales for Cash or Time

—No Trade-Ins

All sales must be for cash, or "time" sales. Trading in of second-hand cars to Dealer not allowed (unless Dealer is willing). Trade-ins must be sold by the purchaser or co-owner. If Dealer accepts a trade, it must be done on the same price and appraisal.

Contestants will be supplied with a form on which they will list the people to whom they could sell cars providing they could dispose of the owner's present car, but whose car they have not been able to sell. At the end of the contest these lists must be sent to the Branch. These lists have a value of which you will be notified after December 30. Be sure to keep these lists.

(5) Orders

Orders will be sent by contestant to nearest Branch. No deposits taken.

(6) Winners to Be Determined on Points

Each sale will be credited with points equal to 5% of the sale price. Contestant to be credited with points when Dealer reports delivery. Method of scoring points: Fordor Sedan (say the delivered price is) \$987.15—4,324 points.

(7) Prizes

Prizes (pictured herewith) will be awarded on points, as previously explained. Records of each contestant's sales will be officially kept by the Ford Motor Company of Canada, Ltd., on behalf of the Dealer, and resulting positions of standings will be made by Dealers. The two with the greatest number of points in their credit in each district will win first and second prizes. All other contestants will receive 3% commission on their gross sales in cash or to apply on the purchase of a Ford car, truck, or tractor, or oil, gasoline, etc.

(8) Closing Date

The contest officially ends midnight, December 30, 1924. Prizes will be awarded January 15, 1925.

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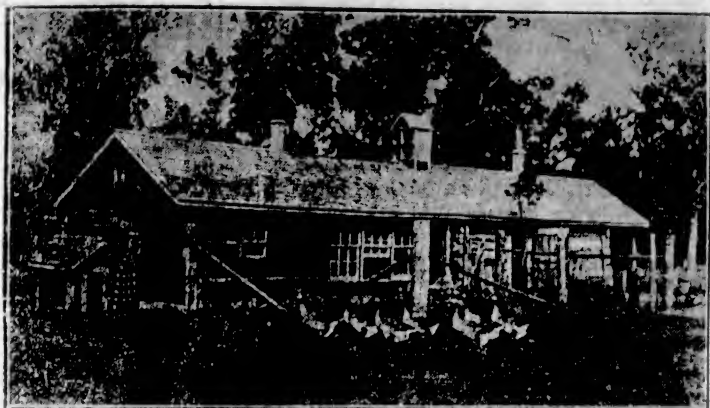
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The Colonist's Pictorial Page



One of the buildings on the Prince of Wales' ranch is shown and also a prize flock of geese in which H.R.H. takes great pride



This striking autumn hat is trimmed with a drapery of plume feathers in every shade of deepest green and is worn with a pale grey moire satin coat and sable collar



Miss Melissa Parr was selected as one of the three most beautiful Indian girls in a contest at the Pendleton round-up, by Wallace Smith, well-known author



Little Virginia Loomis, California youngster, was recently proclaimed by Jewett Burbar, well-known artist and traveler, as the most beautiful child in her state



These two Chicago lassies, photographed on their return to New York from Paris, wearing the latest in style from the French capital, demonstrate that fashion has turned to short skirts again



The Canadian Pacific constables at the company's exhibit at Wembley were frequently called upon to exercise their first aid knowledge on behalf of visitors to the grounds



Speed and lots of it was shown by Charles Ganung as he turned the corners in the thrilling ten-mile motor race at Riverhead, Long Island, recently. The rest of the field trailed in the dust of his machine



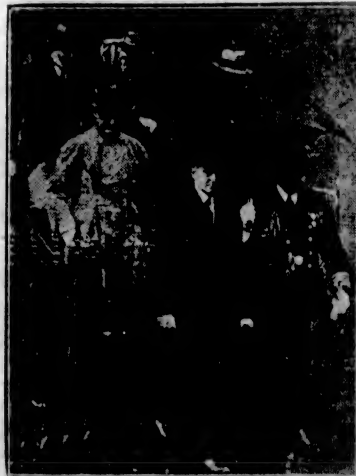
Here is the Prince of Wales, photographed as a real farmer on his "E.P." ranch, being shown driving one of his prize teams of work horses



Miss Olmerova of Czecho-Slovakia was the winner of the javelin throw, when other competitors from her country met French women athletes in contest in Paris. Many records were broken in the events



Paddy Ryan of Miles City, Mont., won the title of the world's champion cowboy at the Pendleton, Ore., round-up. With the championship went the Roosevelt Trophy, the symbol of the peak of cowboy achievement



President Coolidge is shown leaving a church in Washington, where he attended the rites that were held for Robert Imbrie, vice-consul to Persia, who was killed by religious fanatics



Mustapha Kemal Pasha, first president of the Republic of Turkey, is pictured, with his wife, leaving Doumlou Pinar following the ceremonies attending the dedication of the memorial to Turkey's "Unknown Soldier"



These shops of the curb are rarely met with on the streets of London these days, but these ex-service men, cane chair and mat repairers, still carry-on in their dying trade



"Bobby" Jones, one of the world's greatest golfers, is shown putting on the 18th green in the final match with George Von Elm of Los Angeles, whom the Atlantan defeated 10 up and 8 to play at Ardmore, Pa.

Plays and Players

Big Lubitsch Film Coming to Dominion

Whirling Kaleidoscope Vividly Describes Scenes in Ernst Lubitsch's Great Production, "Three Women," Which Is Feature Attraction at Local Picture House This Week—Pauline Frederick, Lew Cody, May McAvoy and Marie Prevost Are Principal Players

THE set of sets! Words to describe the colorful scenes that were enacted on the carnival ball scenes enacted in connection with Ernst Lubitsch's new photoplay production for Warner Brothers, "Three Women," are lacking. It is coming Monday for a week's run at the Dominion Theatre.

Think of a maze of coloring, scores of beautiful ball scenes, gorgeous costumes, flower girls, confectionaires raffling off kisses, girls selling balloons, grotesque clowns, roulette wheels and games of chance—and a merry-go-round! all playing part in one of the gayest scenes ever photographed.

The corridors and stages of the huge Warner Brothers studio resounded with shouts of merriment and fun making, for over five hundred people in gala attire tended to make the cheerily banter which plays an important part in this Lubitsch production perhaps more realistic than even Lubitsch could have hoped for.

The set itself occupies more than half of the immense new stage which ordinarily can accommodate four or five companies at a single time. A polished dance floor—booths for the confectionaires built along one entire side of the room and spotted at intervals with the floor itself. Balcony boxes run the entire length of the set—and here are fashionably dressed parties viewing the merriest moment on the floor below. Then there is the grand staircase with two huge clusters of lights atop the posts which mark the entrance to the boxes above. At one end of the room is a long slide or "chute the chutes," where groups of the fun-makers are sportingly themselves gleefully.

Here it is that Lew Cody, in the role of Edmund Lamont, first meets Mrs. Wilton, portrayed by Pauline Frederick. Here, too, Willard Louis is introduced, for it is he that brings Lamont and Mrs. Wilton together, with the hope that the association of these two will mean the payment of his long overdue notes by Lamont.

The merry-go-round, too, lends merriment to the scene, with even the wooden horses seemingly entering into the spirit of the thing and tearing through space with their gaily dressed riders hanging on to the reins.

The merry-go-round is only one of the "props" ordered by Lubitsch to render realism to the scenes being shot—and for the purpose James Flood, Lubitsch's able assistant, arranged with one of the travelling troupes of nomads who "maile" the various state fairs, carnivals, etc., to encamp on the Warner lot for a week and to set up their outfit on the stage. So that it is the real thing—and the grizzled clown who controls the starting lever is old in experience in the atmosphere in which he has been placed the past few days—with the possible exception of his clientele.

There are colored costumes ranging from the ever-popular ahik to a Russian gossack, not overlooking a quite picturesque Jeanne d'Arc.

In addition to these two, the cast comprises May McAvoy, Marie Prevost, Pierre Gendron, Willard Louis and Mary Carr.

Ancient Greek houses had no windows.

AMUSEMENTS

The Screen
Capitol—Babe Daniels and Richard Dix in "Sinners in Heaven."
Coliseum—Mary Philbin in "The Gaiety Girl."
Columbia—"Barry London" starring Rex Davis.
Dominion—Pauline Frederick and Lew Cody in "Three Women."
The Stage
Playhouse—"Hindustan."
Royce—"The Isle of Spice."

FILM INSEPARABLES COME TO PLAYHOUSE

Marie Prevost and Monte Blue Appear This Week in "Being Respectable"

There is talent aplenty in the cast that interprets "Being Respectable," the screen version of the Grace Flandrau novel, scheduled for a week's showing at the Playhouse Theatre, beginning tomorrow.

Headlining the cast are Marie Prevost and Monte Blue, who by this time have become almost a pair of inseparables, since this is the fifth picture in which they play together. They are known for their splendid performances in other Warner Brothers screen classics, such as "The Marriage Circle" and "How to Educate a Wife." Louise Fazenda, remembered for her comic sparkle in "The Gold Diggers," and Irene Rich have also important parts. Then there is Theodore Von Eltz, Frank Currier, Eulalie Jensen, Lila Leilio, Charles French and Sidney Bracey.

Among the noteworthy things in connection with this coming photoplay is the direction. This was entrusted into the hands of no less a person than Phil Rosen. Mr. Rosen has made for himself a niche in the temple of motion pictures by his sympathetic directing of "Abraham Lincoln." The same intimate handling of details is carried over into "Being Respectable."

MARY PHILBIN HERE IN LATEST SUCCESS

"The Gaiety Girl," Taken From Wylie's "Inheritors," Comes to Coliseum—Shows London Life

"The Gaiety Girl," Mary Philbin's spectacular new starring vehicle, a Universal-Jewel adaptation of I. A. R. Wylie's novel, "The Inheritors," comes tomorrow to the Coliseum. The new picture, the first in which Miss Philbin appears in the modern garb of a girl of today, follows her sensational successes in "Merry-Go-Round" and "Foot's Highway," in one of which she appeared as a Viennese girl, in the other as a wife of New York's old money.

The new picture is a story of an aristocratic English girl, forced by circumstances on the stage, tricked into an odious marriage, and delivered from her predicament by one of the strangest tricks of fate ever seen on the screen. The gay night life of London, the hectic revelry of the Gaiety girls, and other spectacular embellishments mark the action of the story.

A strong cast supports "The Merry-Go-Round Girl" in the new picture. Joseph J. Dowling, who played the title role in "The Miracle Man," appears as her stern grandfather, descendant of a race of kings. James O. Barrow, veteran character actor, is seen as the servant of the ancient family; Grace Darmond, famous for her beautiful gowns, appears as the dashing show girl who befriends the little aristocrat in her venture into the theatre; and William Haines is seen as the lover.

King Baggot, formerly a famous star, and now one of the best-known directors in Hollywood, made the picture. Baggot starred in the first "big feature" made, the spectacular production of "Ivanhoe," made in England, and much of the scenic data he obtained at that time was woven into the spectacular reproduction of a famous old castle on the British coast, used in the new picture.

Wolves will not venture on smooth ice.



BABE DANIELS AND RICHARD DIX Who Play the Title Roles in "Sinners in Heaven," the Feature Attraction at the Capitol Theatre This Week.

REMARKABLE BELGIAN ORGANIST WILL PLAY HERE ON NOVEMBER 12

Charles M. Courboin, formerly organist of Antwerp Cathedral, and now guest soloist in the Wanamaker Auditorium in Philadelphia and New York, and also organist of the Hickory Street Presbyterian Church, Scranton, will be heard in this city on Wednesday, November 12, in the Metropolitan Church.

Mr. Courboin, who now plays in the Philadelphia Wanamaker Auditorium, the largest organ in the world, has had a career which reads like a romance, and his work during the past eight years as a concert artist has placed him among the foremost virtuosi of the day.

Mr. Courboin is a native of Antwerp, Belgium, and his wonderful talent for music evinced itself at an early age. When about ten years of age he entered Notre Dame College in Antwerp, and at twelve he was playing the organ in the great college chapel for all the services and exercises of the college life. During one of his organ concerts in Antwerp, Alphonse Maillie, the famous organist to the Court of Belgium, and the head of the organ department in the Conservatory of Brussels, heard Mr. Courboin play, and was so deeply impressed with his attainments and ability that he persuaded the boy's parents to send him to Brussels. Here he studied for four and a half years of study under one of the greatest organists and teachers in Europe. In 1901 Mr. Courboin won the prize for

piano and harmony, and in 1902 the prize in counterpoint and fugue, and also in transposition. His final triumph came in the winning of the gold purse in the international organ competition in 1902 against eight competitors from all over Europe.

AMERICA'S GREATEST FOLK SONG VOCALIST SINGS ON OCTOBER 30

The announcement that Grace Wood Jess is to give a concert here on Thursday, October 30, is a most welcome one. Miss Jess believes in specialization and has devoted her voice and art exclusively to that singer of folk songs. The Jess fascinating musical field—the folk song, and has achieved such success in it that she is now universally recognized as America's greatest. Her songs have an unusually broad scope, for they appeal not only to the ear, but to the eye and heart as well. In her beautiful costumes of the various countries whose songs she sings Miss Jess looks as though she had stepped from some old picture frame, while the very essence of folk songs lies in their feeling—in the emotion that gave them birth. Miss Jess' programme here will include folk songs of France, England, Russia, Spain and America. She will be assisted by Raymond McPeckers, pianist, and this unique concert is to be given in the Empress Hotel ballroom.

Nest-building is done by the male ostrich.

BRIGHT COMEDY OPENS AT ROYAL TOMORROW

"Isle of Spice" to Make Bow After Weeks of Preparation—Beautiful Features Film Show

There are a lot of details that go to make up a successful modern musical show, details of which the general public have only the vaguest inkling. One of the most important of these is the costuming, in fact, in the eyes of the chorus girl it is indeed the most important of all. In evidence of this one has only to visit the Royal Theatre where "The Isle of Spice" is in rehearsal and listen to the riotous term, in usual advisement—when the wardrobe mistress announces that she is ready to fit costumes. Only a sale day at a large departmental store can compare to the scene which follows this news, and perhaps about an hour later one will notice a pale, dishevelled but still firm countenance emerge from the wreck having a sigh of relief that another milestone has been passed.

Tomorrow evening the opening performance of this beautiful musical comedy will show the results of weeks of preparation which, the public can take it for granted, will not have been in vain, for there isn't a particle of doubt that "The Isle of Spice" is going to be the best thing yet produced by this versatile and clever company. It will well repay anyone the time and small expense to see this show, for it contains all the elements of clean snappy first-class entertainment.

EVENING MUSIC CLASS

On Tuesday evening, at 7:45 p.m., in the Girls' Central School, (Frywood and Port) a class is being held for the study of Sight Reading, Voice Production, Union Songs, Part Songs, etc.

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 12

Direction—George J. Dyke

PICTURE GLORIFIES NATIVE DANCE GIRLS

Gilda Gray, "Sinners in Heaven" Star, Had Better Luck to Her Laurels, Says Noted Director

When "Sinners in Heaven," the new Paramount picture, with Babe Daniels and Richard Dix, is flashed on the local screen at the Capitol Theatre tomorrow, motion picture patrons will have an opportunity of comparing American methods in the terpethecan art with those that are most favored in the Bahamas Islands.

Those who have been privileged to get an advance look at the picture predict that it will do as much to glorify the native girls of the Bahamas as Florenz Ziegfeld has done for the American girl in his Follies.

All of which is due to Alan Crossland, the director of the photoplay. He picked out twenty-four native beauties in Nassau, where the company made its headquarters while filming the exterior scenes for the picture on eight of the islands, and instructed them in a native dance.

The troupe was known as "Crossland's Follies" among the picture people, and every night at the hotel Crossland would put his "Tiller Girls of the Bahamas" through their paces for the entertainment of the guests. The affair got to be the talk of Nassau, and when the troupe was scheduled to do the dance before the camera, citizens of the town journeyed to the island on which the company was working to see the finished product.

"Gilda Gray with all her movements has nothing on these native girls," said the Paramount director. "They got so proficient in the so-called art of South Sea dancing that I had to break up their rhythm so the dance would not look as if it were a product of Broadway."

The religious festival of the natives at which these girls did their dance is one of the interesting scenes in "Sinners in Heaven."

The picture is based upon James Crossland's adaptation of Olive Ardren's famous prize-winning novel of the same name. Besides Miss Daniels and Mr. Dix, the cast includes Holmes Herbert, Montague Love, Edna Shannon, Florence Billings, Betty Hilburn and Marcia Harris.

SCOTTISH LAUGH ADDS MYSTERY TO ORIENTAL MIRTH AT PLAYHOUSE

In presenting "Hindustan," a musical melange of mirth, magic and mystery, Joey Johnston has left the path of ordinary musical comedy and incorporated some magical effects to heighten the Eastern splendor and Oriental atmosphere, so dear to the public, who are always looking for something new in the spectacular. Without doubt this is one of the biggest and best shows ever offered to the public of Victoria. Mr. Johnston, the Scottish-laugh and London music hall artist, whose talented company has made Victorians laugh at the Playhouse Theatre for some months, is hardly a stranger to these parts, although it is the first time Mr. Johnston has had the pleasure of appearing before a Victoria audience. Mr. Johnston's Canadian home town is Albert, V.I., but as a showman on the road he has been back East for quite a few years. He is the brother of Captain J. F. Johnston-Watson, 1st Gordon Highlanders, and secretary to the League of Nations at Geneva. Mr. Johnston is returning to London, England, very shortly, where he has had two offers for pantomime.

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Arrangements are now well forward for the grand Scotch concert to be held on Saturday evening, October 18, in the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium. Well known artists will contribute favorite numbers in Scotch music that will appeal to everyone, whether from the land of heather or not.

Mrs. W. H. Wilson, Mrs. J. Longfield, Mr. Robert Morrison and Mr. Wm. G. Firth will give vocal solos. Mr. Jean Longfield, native airs on the violin, while a couple of youthful dancers will give an exhibition of Scotch steps. The Boys' Pipe Band will also be a feature of the programme and will appear in all the glory of their new kilts and equipment.

The proceedings will be under the genial chairmanship of Mr. John Howie, president of the Victoria Burns Club, than whom few are better fitted to guide a Scottish programme in its presentation to an audience.

The Ladies Committee of the Girls' Home Club on Stanley Avenue, have the arrangements in hand and will devote the proceeds to their work of affording shelter to homeless girls while in search of employment. Tickets may be procured from Messrs. Fletcher Bros., Music Store, Douglas Street.

FINE HAULS ENRICH
MINNESOTA INDIANS

Abundant Inland Fishing in Waters of Red Lake Brings \$500,000 to Chippewa Tribe

RED LAKE FALLS, Minn., Oct. 11.—Red Lake Indians, the model Chippewa band of Minnesota, gathered this summer 750,000 pounds of fish from Red Lake, it has been announced by H. B. Dooley, superintendent of the Red Lake reservation.

During the last seven years the Indians, under a contract with the State of Minnesota, have received more than \$500,000 for fish taken from the lake.

The fishing season lasts but three months during the summer, but last summer four Indians, with the help of their squaws, earned \$1,000 each, and one pair of fishermen, buck and squaw, cleared \$1,500.

This work at fishing, in addition to the rich timber lands on the reservation, enables the Red Lake Indians to live comfortably and to educate their children. When the Senate Indian Affairs sub-committee visited the Red Lake reservation for one of a series of hearings among the Minnesota Chippewas, the members found a well-dressed, prosperous and contented band of Indians. Under their contract with the state the Red Lake Indians, comprising about 17,000 men, women and children, have exclusive commercial fishing privileges on the lake, but they must sell all their catch to the state, which has a packing plant there.

Wall-eyed pike, considered to be the best selling fish on the market, comprise about 85 per cent of the annual catch with the rest of the molley assortment, including whitefish, pickerel, perch, sheepshead, gold eye, carp, buffalo and bullheads.

To avoid catching the smaller fish, the Indians are compelled to use nets with apertures at least two inches square. Some of the Indians use

MR. PERCY GRAINGER
WILL GIVE RECITAL
HERE LATE IN MONTH

The following appeared in The Register when the noted artist, Mr. Percy Grainger, gave a concert at Adelaide, Australia, in August. Mr. Grainger is now touring Canada and will give a concert at the Royal Victoria Theatre on Wednesday, October 22, under the direction of the Ladies' Musical Club. The review is as follows:

"A recital of a particularly interesting and most unusual kind was given by the composer-pianist, Mr. Percy Grainger, at the rooms of the Aeolian Company, Rundle Street, on Wednesday afternoon. This included a description of the value of the Duo Art Pianola Piano, which developed into an informal but most informative lecture upon tendencies of modern music, and the effects of national characteristics upon musical expression, and a startling demonstration of the possibilities opened up to composers of this instrument. Mr. Grainger said that it was the greatest help and comfort to a composer, and since the music might be cut on the roll from a score, the limitations of ordinary playing were done away with, and it was possible to write much more complex things. Turning to records made by hand playing he said there was wide room for experiment here also. For many years he had been interested in what might be called 'beetles' music, in which the monotony of uniformity was left behind, and the rhythm swept away into a great tide of freedom. This could be expressed through the duo art as in no other manner. Then there was the possibility of playing with an absent friend. He had made one playing with Cyril Scott on two pianos, only one of which (Mr. Scott's) was recording. So, wherever he was, he could play that work with his friend. It was possible, also, to play a work with oneself at the other piano, taking the orchestral part. The Children's March was played by Mr. Grainger on one piano, the orchestral part being given by another. Descriptive and brilliant, the effect was astonishingly good. After one or two rolls had been given in this way Mr. Grainger played a number of distinctive writings unaccompanied, adding to the fascination of his wonderfully artistic interpretation by characteristically graphic descriptions and explanations. A



WILL MAISHALL

Who will appear in the musical comedy, "The Isle of Spice," at the Royal Victoria Theatre all this week.

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James Gorman, an American railway express messenger, seriously wounded Joseph Davis, a bank messenger, and escaped with a \$40,000 payroll at a remote spot on the Cambria & Indiana Railway here today.

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URGE FORMATION OF LABOR ARMY

ARMY AND NAVY VETERANS SEE
SOLUTION OF PROBLEM

Protest Against Evils of Promiscuous
Immigration—Delegates Gardiner
and Money Report

The formation of an industrial or labor army for the purpose of carrying out work in the Dominion for which the Government was responsible, such as clearing brush and roadmaking, was urged by the convention of the Army and Navy Veterans in Canada, at its recent sessions in Winnipeg. Messrs. C. E. L. Money and George Gardiner, delegates of the Victoria branch of the organization to the gathering, reported to their unit at its last monthly meeting.

The convention considered this proposal as the solution to the problem of continued unemployment of former service men. It also voiced its protest against the evils of promiscuous immigration and passed this resolution, urging the Government to scheme of decentralization in immigration.

The veterans decided to petition the Hon. Dr. H. S. Deland, Federal Minister of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, asking him to make arrangements from the canteen fund, to be used



A Scene From "The Gaiety Girl," Starring Mary Philbin, Which Is Showing at the Coliseum Theatre This Week.

for such men as are out of employment during the coming winter.

Preference to White Men

The Army and Navy Veterans urged that in view of the unemployment this winter, preference be given in employment to white men, especially returned men, and advocated

the general restriction of Asiatic labor.

Vancouver unit's resolution, namely that in view of the large amount of unemployment, the Civil Service Commission be asked to replace married women whose husbands are able to support them, with more deserving people, was endorsed.

The delegates reported that the convention adopted a resolution that the recommendations of the Halston Commission be referred to the Dominion executive to request the Government to carry out the wishes of the Commission.

Adopts Victoria Resolutions

The Army and Navy Veterans adopted two resolutions forwarded by the Victoria unit, in respect to the life-saving station, and provision of relief from the canteen fund.

The convention urged the Federal Government to appoint as trustees of the Ottawa fund only ex-service men approved of by the Dominion Veterans' Alliance, and as trustees of the Provincial funds only ex-service men duly approved of by the respective Provincial Veterans' Committees.

A discussion took place in the convention upon the efficiency of the Dominion Veterans' Alliance, the outcome being that the meeting considered the Alliance was performing most useful service, especially in

MANY CREEDS MEET IN EMPIRE CENTRE

MEN OF VARIOUS RELIGIONS
GATHER IN LONDON

Christians, Mahometans and Buddhists Represented—Some First Time Away From Temples

LONDON, Oct. 11.—Tributes to the impartiality of the British Empire toward the faiths of the peoples which have come under its sway was paid at the opening of one of the largest, and certainly one of the most spectacular, religious gatherings ever held, which now is being staged at the Imperial Institute here.

This conference on "some living religions within the Empire" was promoted by Sir Denison Ross, director of the School of Oriental Studies. It has brought together Indians in richly embroidered robes and vivid turbans, men of eastern Asia in dark robes proclaiming their sects by their colored headgear, Oriental scholars with white beards flowing to their knees, English clergymen, and a sprinkling of young women of the intelligentsia from Kensington and Dorset Green.

In British Empire. Included in the British Empire, as was pointed out at the opening meeting by Sir Francis Younghusband, the explorer, who has traveled into the fastnesses of the Himalayas and knows every aspect of Indian life, there are more Mahometans than Christians, and at least as many Hindus as Mahometans. There are also many millions of Buddhists and of adherents of primitive religions of every grade. Among the less known religions of the Empire which figure in the conference are Sikhism, Bahalism and Taoism, the last of which has an exponent from Peking.

Some of the holy men attending the conference have left their mosques and temples for the first time and traveled thousands of miles to hear other religions discussed by their exponents. All of the speakers from the platform among the 400 delegates are accorded equal status. No controversy, either religious or political, is injected, and there is no debate.

A message was sent to the King-Emperor from the conference stressing the fact that one of the fundamental principles which have guided England in her dealings with Eastern countries has been that of absolute impartiality toward all religions and creeds. Sir Francis Younghusband emphasized the need for the various sects of the British Empire to understand and co-operate with one another.

"I am advocating religion as a bond of union, when all history shows that it has been a perpetual source of dissension," he said, "but in the hands of men who sternly discipline themselves religion may work unimagined good."

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CANADA IS ENGLAND'S GRANARY

LONDON, Oct. 11.—The United States is no longer the chief exporter of wheat to the United Kingdom. The

largest supplies of this grain to the British Isles now comes from the Dominion of Canada, with the United States second and Argentina a close third.

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THE principal players in Ernst Lubitsch's big production, "Three Women," which is the feature presentation at the Dominion Theatre this week.

legislative matters. Several of the speakers stated that the Alliance had done really good work in getting the various organizations together, and looking after their interests. A vote of thanks was extended to the Alliance for its past services.

Criticizes Pension Commissioners
Major M. J. Crehan, retiring president, in an inspiring address, was outspoken in his criticisms of the Board of Pension Commissioners, and stated he could only wish them and the Government who refused to dispense with their services, a speedy death. "Our four planks of agreed policy as an organization are the care of the women and children, the crippled and the old men, and the strict supervision of this important matter of pensions."

"Pensions, while being proportionate to the resources of the country, should be good. Canada owes the men who fought for her something; if the Government refuses to discharge its liabilities in this matter, then we, as an association, must not rest until it is done," declared Major Crehan.

Messrs. Gardiner and Money reported to the Victoria unit that the convention will next year be held in Regina. Mr. George Gardiner, of Victoria, was named fourth vice-president of the association. The delegates were loud in their praise for the excellent hospitality accorded to them by the ex-service men and citizens of Winnipeg during the convention there.

FOREIGN LANDS LURE

LONDON, Oct. 11.—The number of men emigrating from England during 1923 totalled 159,000, or 46,000 more than in 1922, according to statistics published in the Board of Trade Journal. The women's total is 163,000 as against 123,000 in 1922. The net loss to the country by excess of emigration over immigration was 266,000.

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A Civil War or Two Is Nothing to Old Friends in China, Togo Tells Hon. Soda

LETTERS OF A JAPANESE SCHOOLBOY
By Wallace Irwin

To Editor, Hon. Colonel, who are more than one (1) side of the world at a time.
Dear Sir:
Hon. Kurio Soda, hot minded reporter for The Opinionated Review, great pipe-organ of editorial thought which will be published soon, if ever, approach up to my valuable kitchen last Wednesday a.m. while I was bathing the dishes.

"Togo," he says so rapidly with pencil, "you have just surrounded the

come Gen. Whang with 500,000 traffic policemen from Canton. Which side you fighting on, if any?" require Gen. Chang & Gen. Wu together like chorus girls. "So sorry," report Gen. Whang. "I have so much on my mind that I forgot. Which side are paying the best wages today?" And so goes that battle, sometimes bad, sometimes worse.

"In meanwhile what have happened to Chinese Govt.?" I ask to know.

"Doing nothing with great energy," negotiate Kurio.

Chinese Set Fashion for Prince of Wales

"She are a great friend in trouble" I say for slight-sentiment.

"She are indeedly," snatch out he.

"She adore to see China in trouble."

"This are quite Christian and cheap way to save ammunition in Tokyo," I reply.

"Then from your lifelong experience of one week in China," require Kurio, "should you say that China will be broken off, knocked out & dissolved up into chunks because of this uncivil war that has abated



"She Have Now Found Two (2) Great Generals"

world with Prince of Wales expression & are back again to here. Quite of recently you were in China. Since then they have burst out there. This look suspicious. Therefore I wish interview you for short article for a few million words. Please to answer me these replies:

"What are China fighting for?"

"What will she do with it?"

"Funky Soda," I narrate, "are you at leisure to stay here with Mrs. & Mr. C. W. Quakmire all Winter? Are you acquainted with algebra, trigonometry, cross-word puzzles, & mathematics? Can you count the toes on a misquito by looking at it around the corner of a church with a one-eyed opera glass?" I ask to know.

"I did not come here to answer questionnaires but to ask them," he report with newspaper eyebrow. "Affairs in China are commencing to look very ominous. Two (2) angry candidates is attempting to get a hold of Chinese Govt. This looks pretty frightful."

Too Many Napoleons

"Yet three (3) angry candidates is now attempting to get a hold of American Govt.," I deploy, "and hardly anything are printed about it in newspapers. Why should you worry about China, a land which are few across the street from the moon?"

"That is neither hither nor thither," he dils. "Now that the Kaiser and Leopold and Loeb have been spoken too roughly for their bad boyishness it is time for people to stop murdering & go to work. Why have China got so bloody all of a sudden?"

"The Chinese," I dictate, "are a race of Pacifists. How can they help liking to kill one (1) another? Persons cannot live peacefully together for 3000 yrs without getting pretty mad. Therefore China have flew to arms so rapidly that they have not learned how to shoot straight."

"What China need are a Napoleon," suggest Hon. Kurio Soda.

"Not truthfull!" I reject. "She have got 12 Napoleons already, not to count two (2) more who was recently arrested in Hong Kong for setting fire to a opium factory."

"Annie how, China should have more Leadership," he dils.

"Leadership!" I holla. "China have got so much leadership now that she remind me of a gentleman with locomotive stasis trying to carry a handful of grasshoppers across Broadway, N.Y. She got so much leadership that she do not know whether she are standing on her ribs or the set of her stomach. Sometime she set down & attempt to think where she was last. Then long come 13 more leaders and dictate, 'Arise, China! We will lead you in several directions!' So she continue doing &c., &c., like before."

Why Chinese Generals Are Like Golf

"She have now found two (2) great generals," report Kurio. "One of them are called the Grant of China."

"Rev. Stickney or Ulysses?" I ask to know.

"Ulysses," he reply. "The other one are called the Lee of China. This make things look pretty darnly black & nigger for that natchilly yellowish country. For when a nation got 2 generals of equal magnificence, what can happen? A fight."

"What are those 2 Generals doing now?" I require.

"Approaching," he define.

"Shut!" I tut. "When I were in China last April first they was approaching. They had been approaching for last 9 years. Chinese Generals is like some golf I know. They are better at approach than at drive. Also they resemble Hon. Hairy Willie and Sir Jno. Dempsey. They are such famous champions that nobody but a genius can bring them together. I thought you come here to tell about war in China. What you are announcing are merely National Guard News."

"Togo," corrode Hon. Kurio Soda, "you know so little about the news that you should make a great journalist. Are you aware that fighting are going on right now in China? Several or more men are being killed day by day."

"Horror!" I yellip. "When I were over there I told them to stop playing with guns or they would shoot themselves."

Where Is the Government?

"Magnificent battles are engaging side by side. Gen. Wu Pei Fu and Gen. Chang Tso-lin are jumping at each other with angry faces. Riots, shootings, diarrhoea. Very excited. Then when Gen. Wu & Gen. Chang stop slightly to change uniforms, up-

"The 9 Wise Men of Peking are now out looking for it," say Kurio.

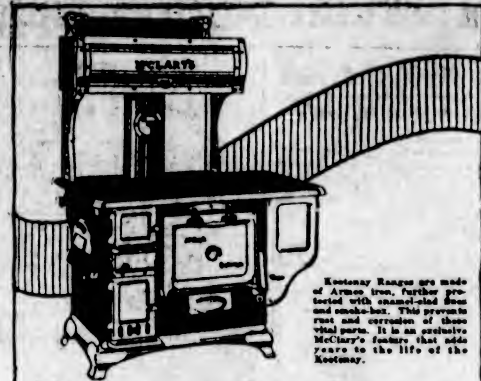
"Dr. Chew Long of the University of Tientsin think he have found it on the shores of the Yellow Sea, sending messages to the League of Nations in a empty beerbottle. But Prof. Fat Lung, celebrated Ma Jong expert, say it can't be found because there was never annie such annimie. From this you may draw your own delusions."

"What are Japan doing in all this meantime?" are next questions from me.

out in her amidst?"

"Not & 1000 times no!" I hear.

"I have observed so much of that great nation that I know she shall last forever without stopping. They are a people with dreadfully great minds. 5000 yrs before Ramsay MacDonald got his free automobile a Chinese inventor invented a Ford & got his head chopped off for that crime. 3600 yrs before the Prince of Wales ever saw a prize fight all Chinese schoolboys learned how to turn their hats down like a roof. What you think then? You think



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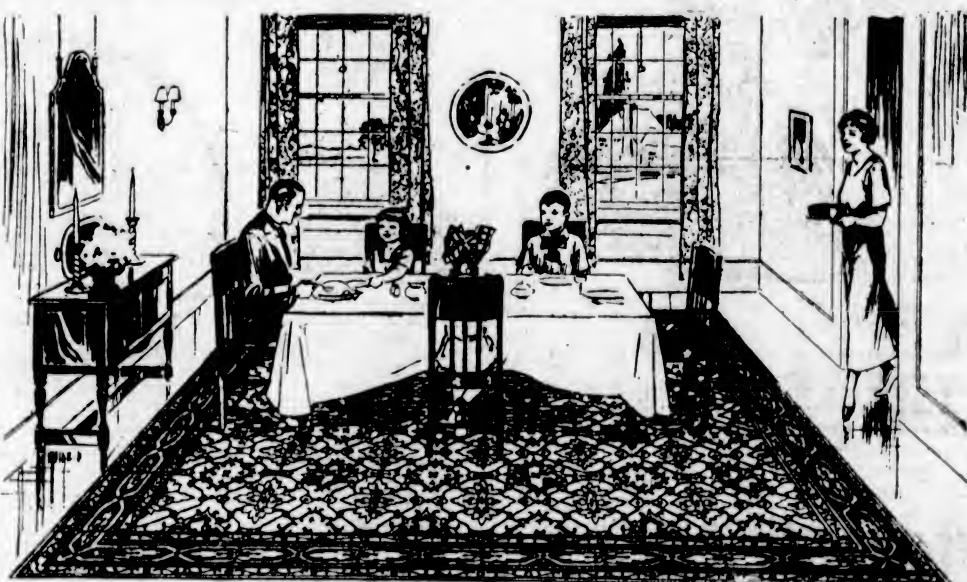
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such brite folks like that could go outside by civil war? Not 2000 yrs before Bryan was even defeated Chinese thought up inventions what would make warfare safe as warfare."

"Togo," require Kurio Soda, "what in your estimatus are the greatest inventions of those Chinese?"

"Firecrackers," I notate. "Therefore he slope away dogginly thankful for such a intellectual interview. Hoping you are the sama Yours truly HASHIMURA TOGO. (Copyright, 1924, by the Bell Syndicate, Inc.)"



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MAINLY ABOUT BOOKS

We wonder if there is any experience, no matter how uncomfortable, dangerous or gruesome, some writers will not cheerfully undertake for the sake of giving it back to a reading public. For instance, when Mrs. Reynolds, the clever journalist, who writes under the name of Alma Whitaker, and whose work is syndicated by McClure's, was in Victoria recently, she told about going to jail as a common criminal for two days and nights in order to find out about jail conditions, and to get the realistic atmosphere so that she could make convincing anything she might write with the jail as a background. Those two days and nights were very unpleasant, and she could not help wondering why the lady lingered longer than the one day and night, but perhaps she felt that it would

take a little while to get over her prejudice. At any rate, to jail she went, and gave a good story to her paper, a series of stories, perhaps. She did not tell us just how she managed to get into jail as a common criminal, nor did we ask. We should think there might have been some difficulty there. But it happened in the United States, which, perhaps, is the explanation.

Then we know of another enterprising newspaper young woman who went down to a certain Chinatown, regaled herself at a chop suey house, played fan tan, and smoked opium, in order to give forth her story as to the true conditions, and, incidentally, to frame up a scenario with which she hoped to make a fortune. This also happened in the United States. In San Francisco, to be exact. And the newspaper story and the scenario were both forth-

coming. But the young woman admitted that she would never go through the experience again for all the gold of Croesus.

It is doubtful if deeds of daring such as the above produce a utilitarian result commensurate with the suffering and danger involved. Stories themselves written from such an inspiration are for the most part merely sensational, and cater only to the appetites of jaded readers, who are always searching for something a little more morbid, a little more horrible, with which to arouse satiated sensibilities. But there are undertakings of splendid hazard, the result of which, when woven into article, story, novel or song, are productive of a fine public stimulus, which makes for healthy interest and enthusiasm.

Such an undertaking was that of a well-known writer who went recently into the north seas to take part in the great Atlantic seal hunt. He has written a stirring book of his adventures, "Vikings of the Ice," and tells us something of the men and women of Newfoundland, that corner of the Empire about which there is

comparatively little known, and which has seemed to remain more or less in a quiescent state for the past fifty years or so. That is why, probably, that the seal hunters are content with so little pay. It is almost incredible the meagerly amount they get for their season's work. For six weeks of the most dangerous, most difficult labor, they receive only from fifteen to fifty dollars, and sometimes nothing but a box of fish. If the catch is poor. This writer, George Allan England, calls the Newfoundland seal hunt the greatest in the world. No doubt there are men on the Pacific Coast who would take issue with him, but for fierce weather, frightful hardships, and constant danger, there is really little comparison. In the Atlantic seal hunt there are perils from ice, blizzards, fire, explosion, drowning—such that perhaps few men, outside of these hardy Newfoundlanders, could endure. Only old-time wooden ships are used, which have both sail and steam, and carry an average of 150 men apiece. These dauntless vessels, built of greenheart and oak, massively timbered with iron-sheathed bows, operate for five or six weeks between the Newfoundland and Greenland coasts. An enormous area is worked over.

Day after day, week after week, the ships, sometimes close together, more often out of sight of one another, grind, crash, shudder through the ice, blast their way through it with bombs, drift with it when nipped, and sometimes sink. If the latter happens, very often the whole crew perishes before aid can be brought to them. For they will be adrift on the ice, floating ice, broken ice, and the wind may be blowing a hurricane, and a blinding snow falling. The imagination shudders away from the conjuring of such a picture.

Therefore it was a praiseworthy thing, for any unseasoned journalist to ship aboard one of the old sealers, and start forth on a quest of adventure, so that he might tell the story of the intrepidity of these little-known fisher-folk of Newfoundland. "They're a hardy breed," he says. "Captain Keen once went into St. Anthony Harbor with his hand on the engine-room telegraph of his steamer and with a sailor's holding snow to his frozen cheeks to keep them from freezing more. I have seen Newfoundlanders working on the Terra Nova with one hand white

the other was so cruelly lacerated that any American with such an injury would go to bed and send for a doctor. Men hardly able to stand will go on ice and haul tows. Men stab through their feet with gaffs and go right on working—they work even with pneumonia. But rarely have they any serious complaint. They very rarely die on the ice."

Out of a list of forty-two vessels which have been engaged in the seal hunt for the past fifty or sixty years, twenty-nine of them were lost, by which it will be seen what danger awaits those who engage in such a venture. As recently as 1914 the Southern Cross disappeared with all on board.

"Vikings of the Ice" is one of the new books of exploration and adventure at the Public Library and the book shops.

The Far West Coast is the romantic title given to the story of the early explorers into the heart of the vast Pacific. Beginning with the voyage of Juan de Fuca, it not only gives us a most colorful account of the development of our own Canadian coast, but relates the adventures of Vitus Bering, who gave his name to the famous sea; of Captain Cook, his fascinating voyage and his tragic end; of Meares and George Vancouver, and a host of others. It is the first book we have seen which deals exhaustively with the history of this part of the Pacific Coast, and as such has a peculiar interest for us. It is well illustrated by drawings and maps. The author is V. L. Denton. The Traveller in the Fur Cloak, Stanley Weyman. Here is a story which ranks with this author's best. The scene is laid in Germany and Paris, during those wonderful days of the meteoric rise of Napoleon Bonaparte. The hero, a young man in the British diplomatic service in Prussia, has adventures thrilling enough to satisfy the most excitement-loving imagination.

REPLIES TO QUERIES

In this column, inquiries addressed to the editor will be published and answered.

A member of the Canadian Authors' Association would like to know something about the short story competition now running in Harper's Magazine.

All manuscripts must be forwarded to judges before December 1. The prizes are \$1,500, \$750 and \$500. Full information will be given on application to the magazine.

L.E.L., Esquimaux—What is the required length of a novel for book form?

The minimum length of a book-form novel is 60,000 words. But most publishers prefer from 80,000 to 120,000.

Mrs. L., Victoria, would like to know where the following words, used by Dean Quainton in his address before the Overseas Club on Saturday, are to be found:

"In the mud and scum of things, something always sings."

PEN PORTRAITS

Mr. Charles Mair

Mr. Charles Mair, one of Canada's oldest and most honored writers is at present living in Victoria. He will remain here for the winter. He has spent several winters on the coast and finds that the climate suits him better than any other. Mr. Mair, who was born in Ontario, is now in his eighty-sixth year, and is as mentally alert as ever. He is a most delightful raconteur, and his memory for names and dates is remarkable. Several Victorians have the pleasure of meeting him last year at a social function when the late Mr. Trant was also present, and these two men, friends in boyhood and young manhood, who had not met for more than forty years, renewed old acquaintance, and Mr. Mair made a charming little speech, describing old days in the West. In particular the part he had played in them. His life has been a varied one, packed full of thrilling incidents. He was an active participant, for instance, in the Red Rebellion, and was taken prisoner by Itell and condemned to be shot. Mr. Mair is the author of several well-known works, his dramatic poem "Tumtumsh" being rated as a Canadian classic. Other of his works—

"The Last Bloom," "Through the Mackenzie Basin," "Hallelujah for Brave Women," in which he sang of the courage of Laura Secord, and "Open the Bay," referring to the building of a railway into the Hudson Bay.

600 BEST BOOKS OF YEAR

"The credit of an admirable list belongs to Dr. Hagberg Wright, the learned librarian of the London Library," says The Telegraph. "He has just laid before the Committee of the League of Nations on Intellectual Co-operation—and it has met with their unanimous acceptance—a proposal for the publication every year, under the auspices of the League, of a list of the Six Hundred Best Books which have appeared in the previous twelve months."

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"Dr. Hagberg Wright submitted not merely a proposal but a worked-out scheme. His idea was that the annual list should not exceed 600 books, and that it should be sold at a cost not exceeding half-a-crown, so as to be within the reach of all. He does not propose to include all subjects, but to restrict the choice to history, economics, politics, science, art, science, topography and travel, literature, theology, philosophy, and works of reference."

"Each country represented on the League of Nations will be invited to name a representative to be responsible for the selection, 'preferably with experts or a representative body to draw up their lists.' Countries publishing 50,000 books and upwards a year are to have the privilege of

naming forty books, and the scale falls proportionately to those publishing 5,000 annually, which will each name ten books. It may not be easy for the selectors to keep strictly to the quota, especially in countries like Great Britain, the United States, France, and Germany, where books are poured from the presses every year in an ever-increasing torrent. These are the days of intense specialization, and forty books for Great Britain seems a very small parcel."

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